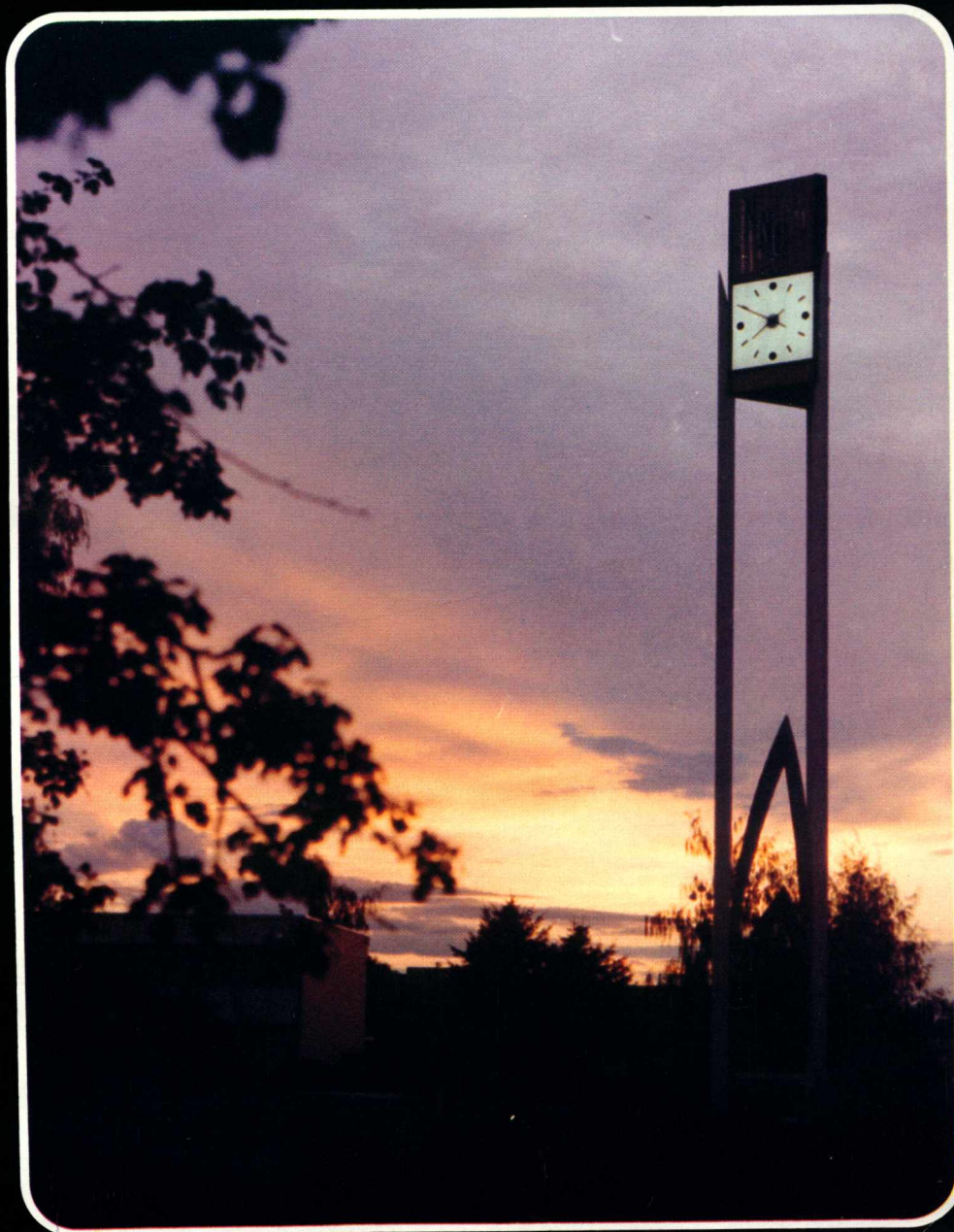




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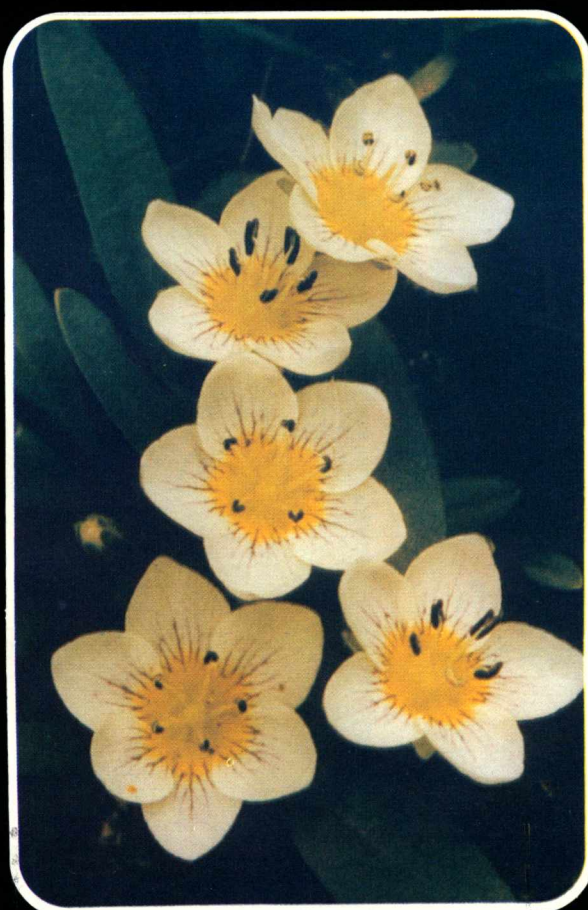
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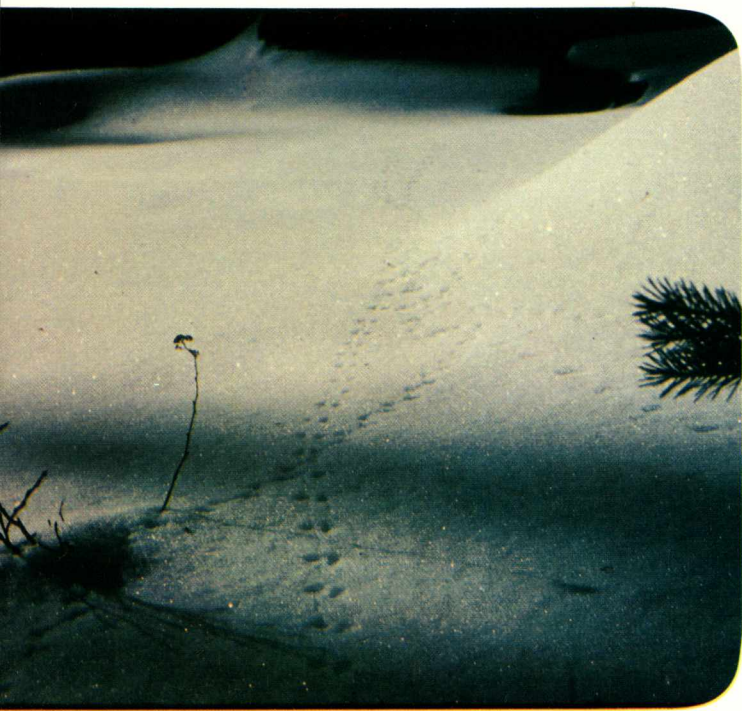


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There is a language in nature that speaks
of the existence of God. It is the language
of order, beauty, perfection and intelligence.

— Billy Graham





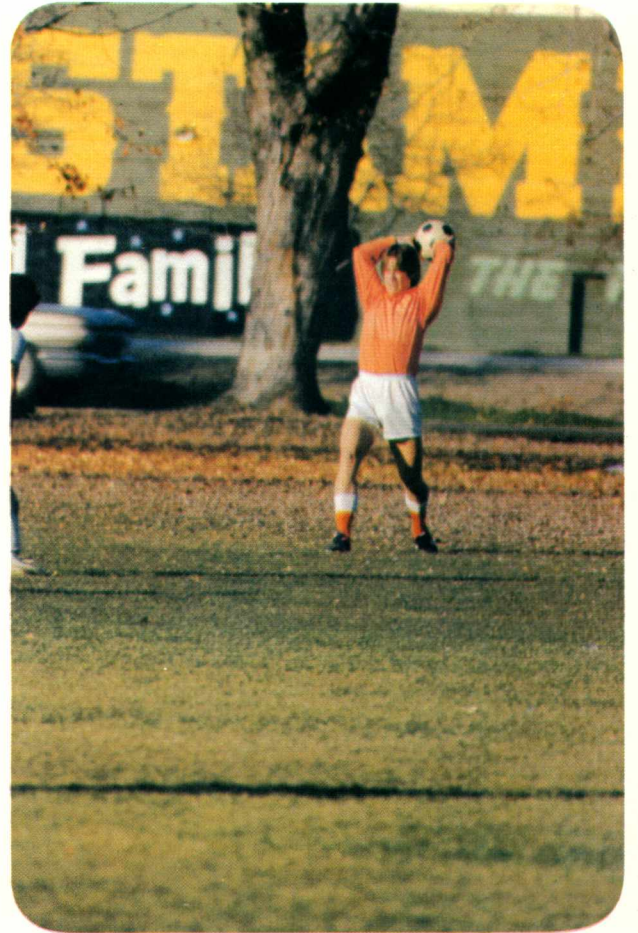
The earth is the Lord's,
and the fullness thereof;



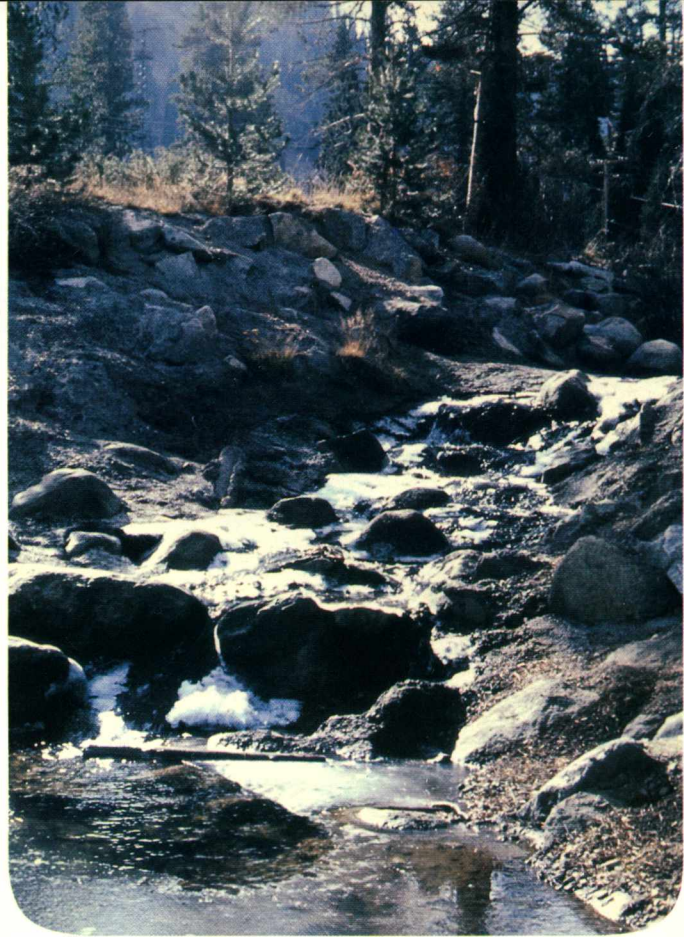


The world, and they
that dwell therein.
Psalms 24:1



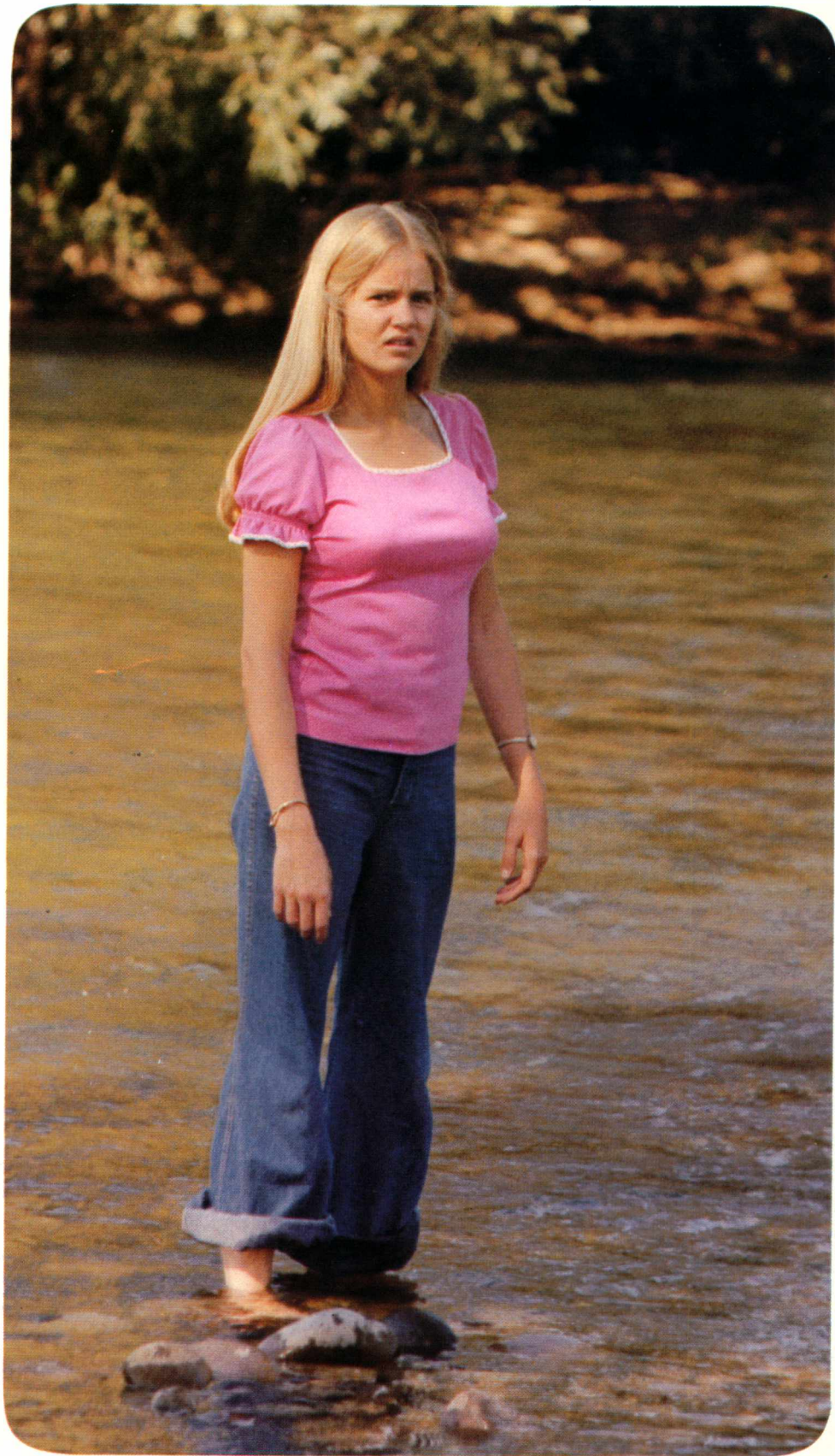


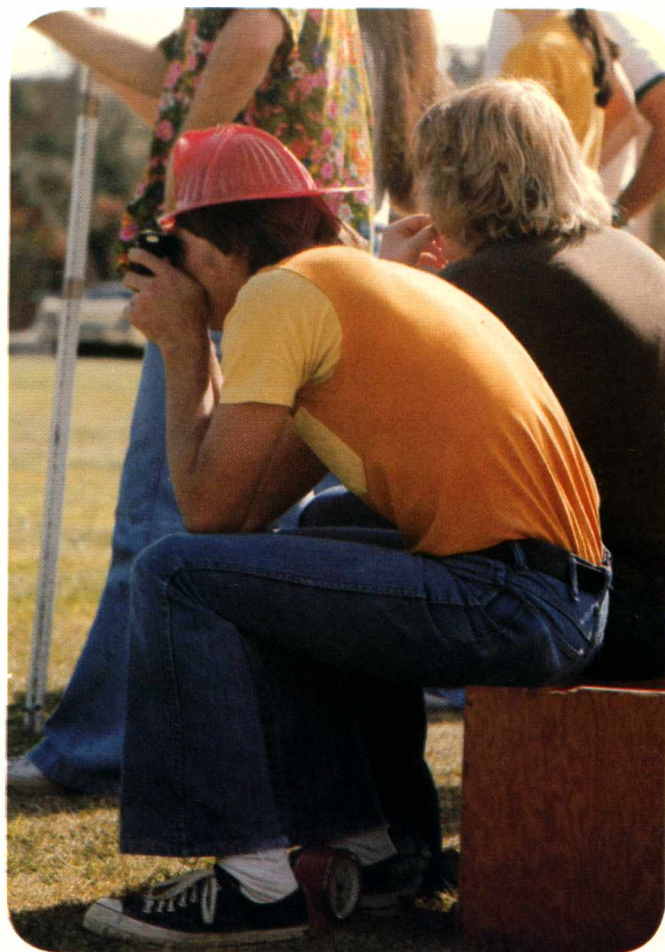
He sendeth the springs
into the valleys,
which run among the hills.
Psalms 104:10





Youth Is Nature's
Springtide of Life.





Yet Sometimes Youth's Swift Current
Can Get You Dog-Tired.



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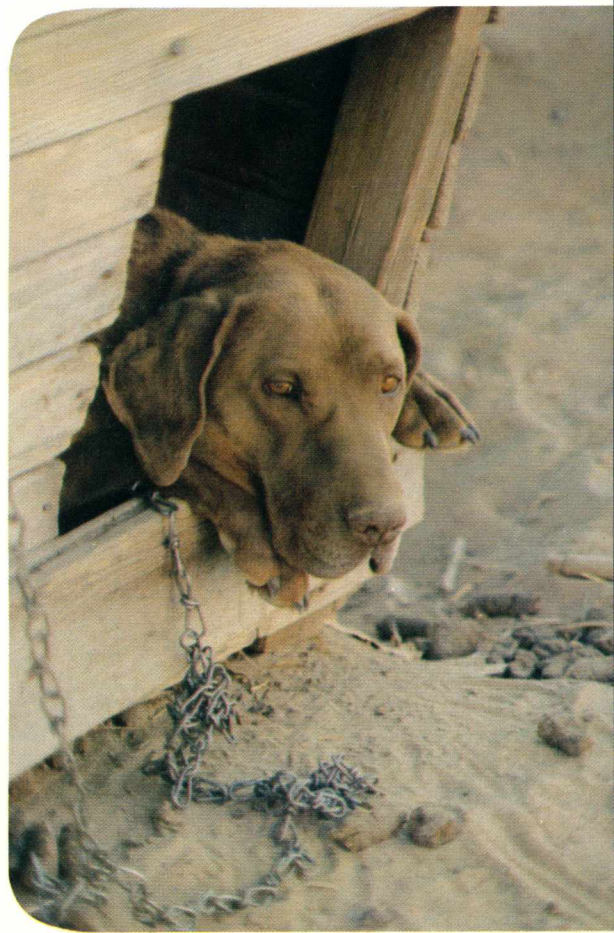
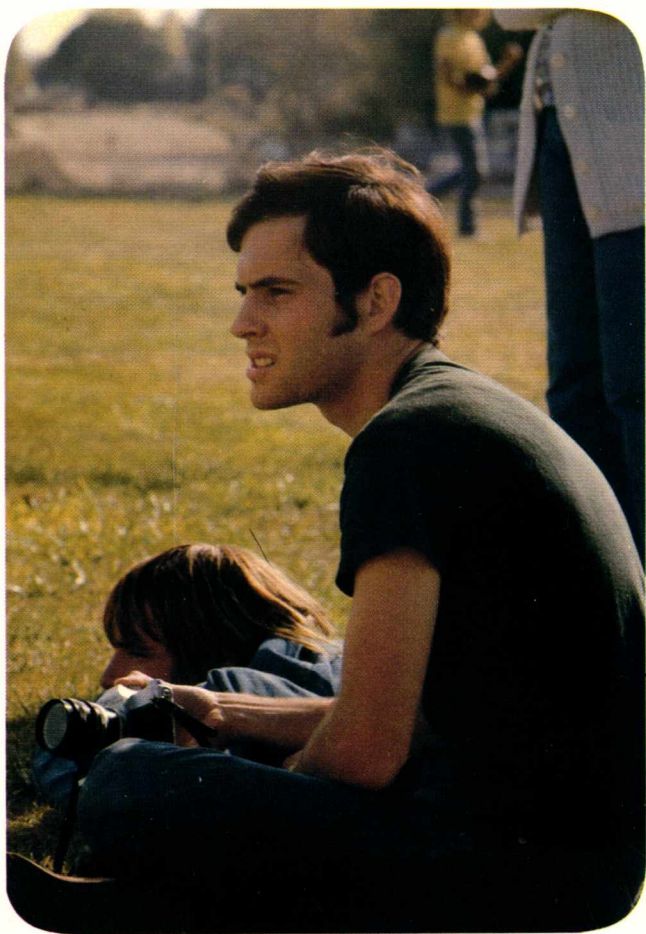
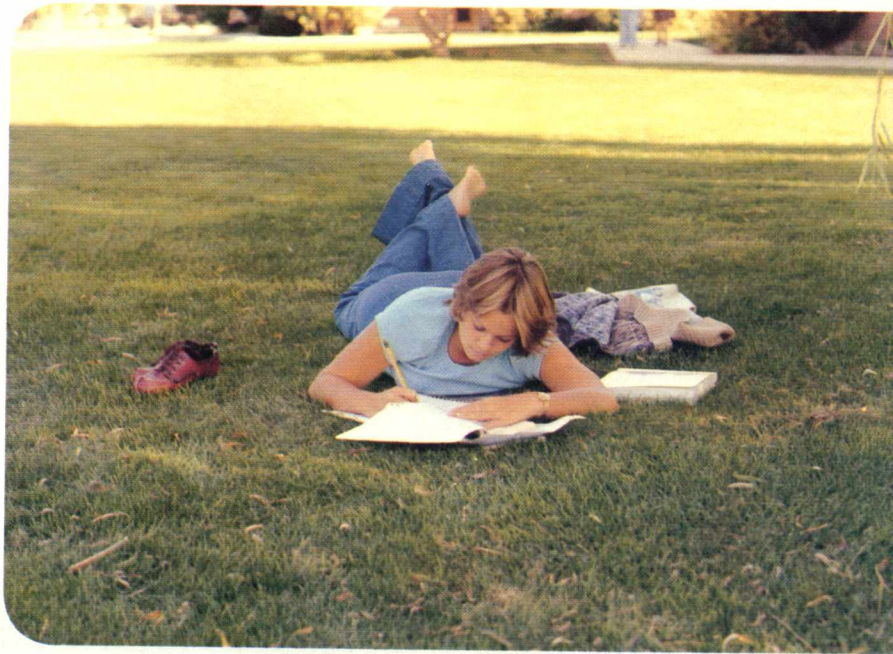


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Anyone who keeps
the ability to see beauty
never grows old.
— Frank Kafka





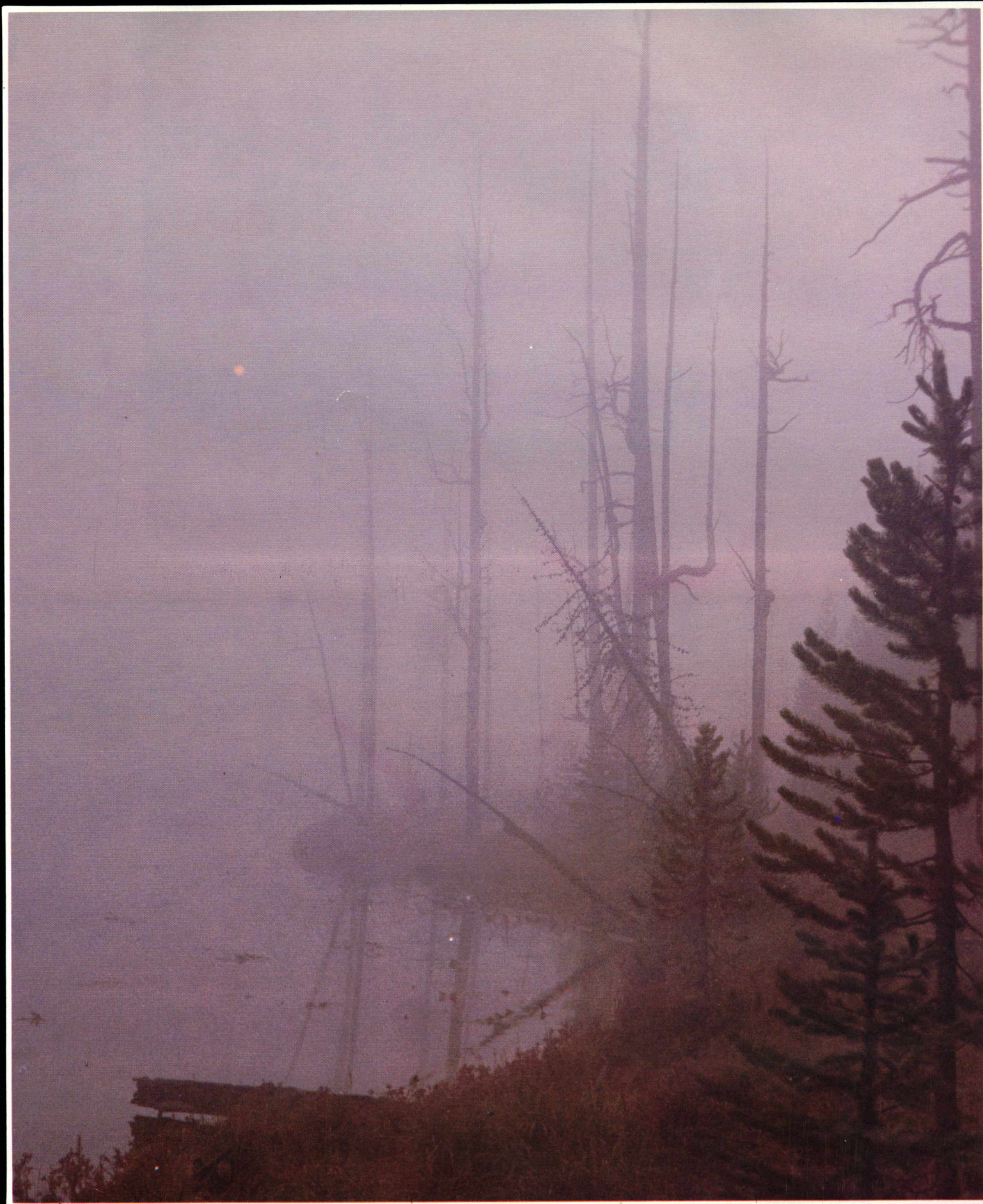


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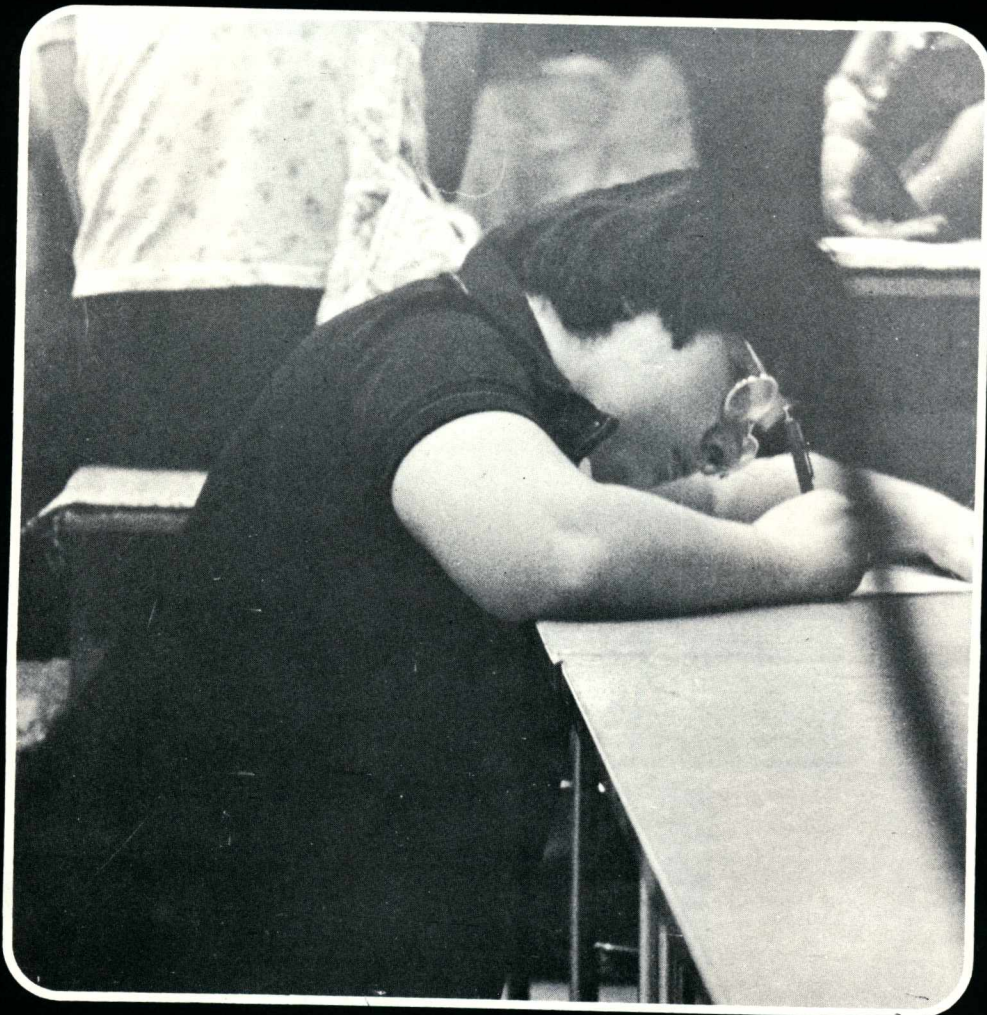
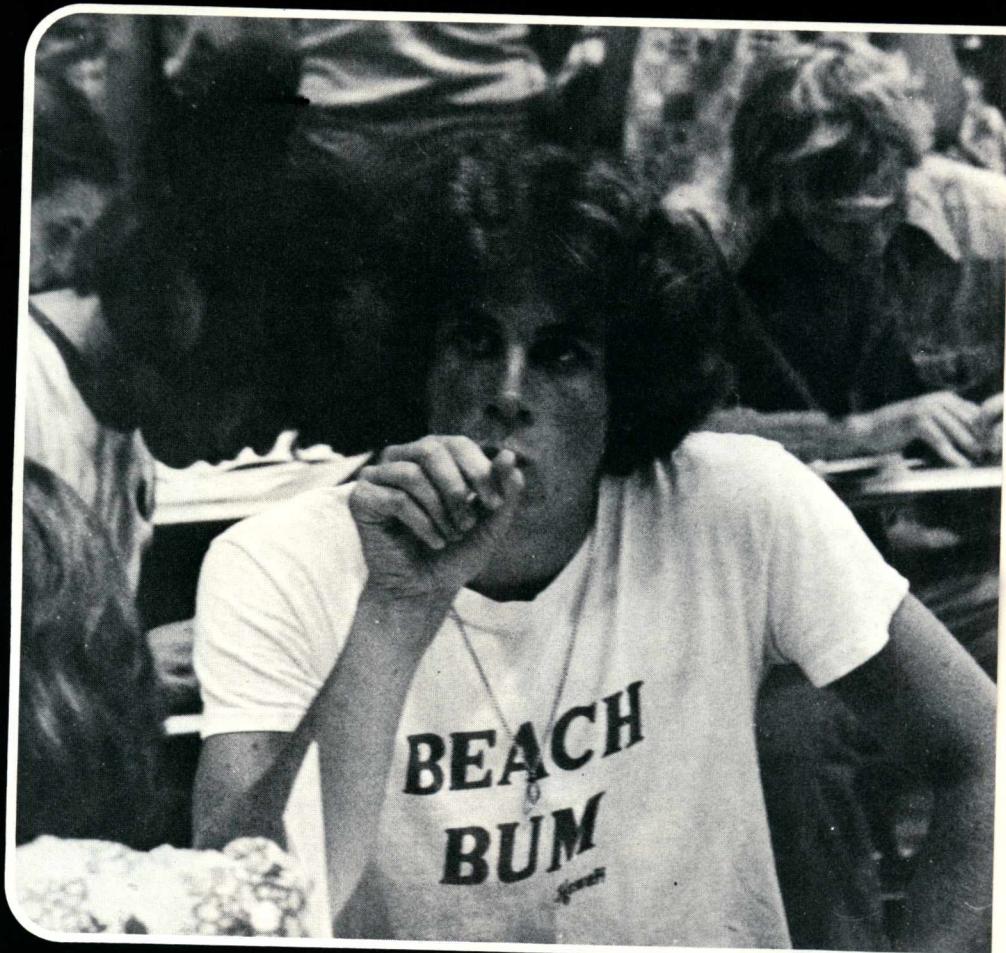
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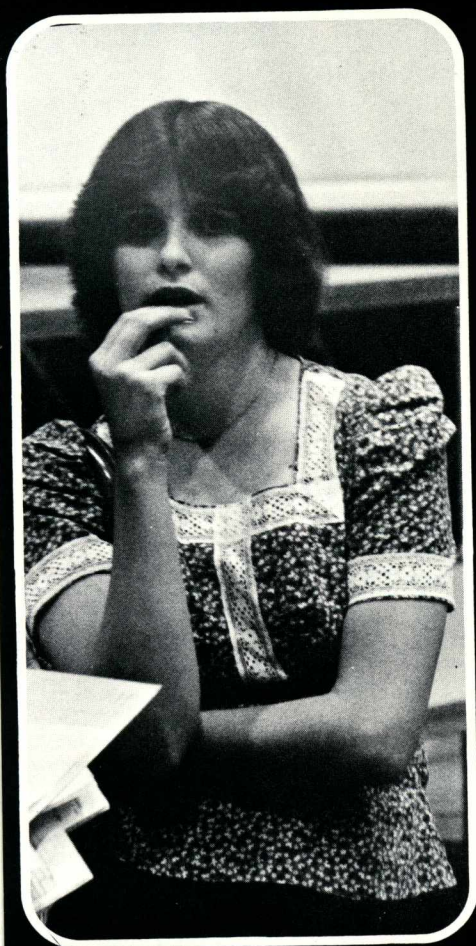
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Student Life





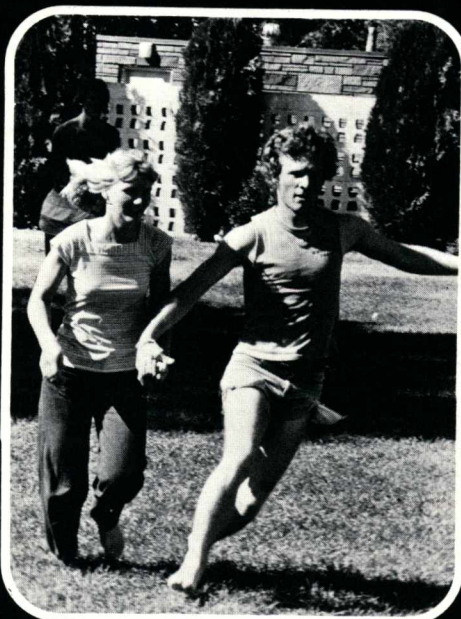
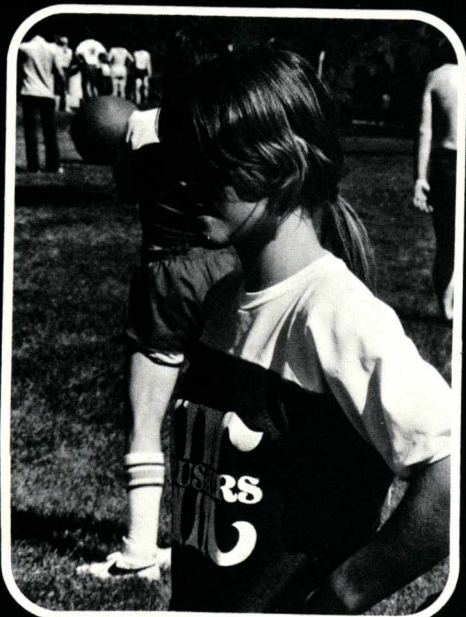
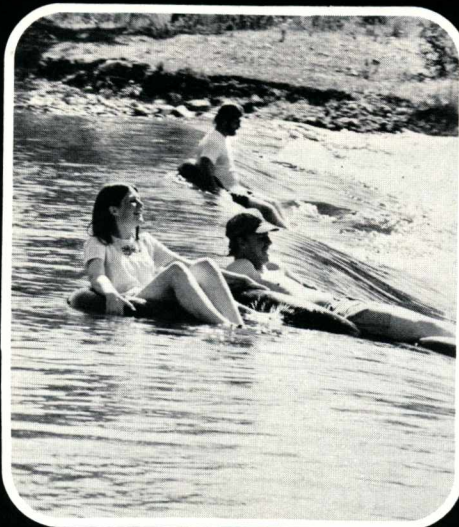
Confusion and Frustration: Registration

Registration, as always, was two days of confusion and frustration. Probably the one thing that characterizes Registration the most is lines. Lines of people waiting to see advisors, lines waiting for the checking secretary, lines waiting to be assigned P.O. Boxes, even lines of people waiting to pay their tuition. Registration, though is also a time of reunion with old friends and even a time to make new friends. But mostly Registration is a necessary evil, or better said, a lesson in the virtue of patience.



All-School Picnic

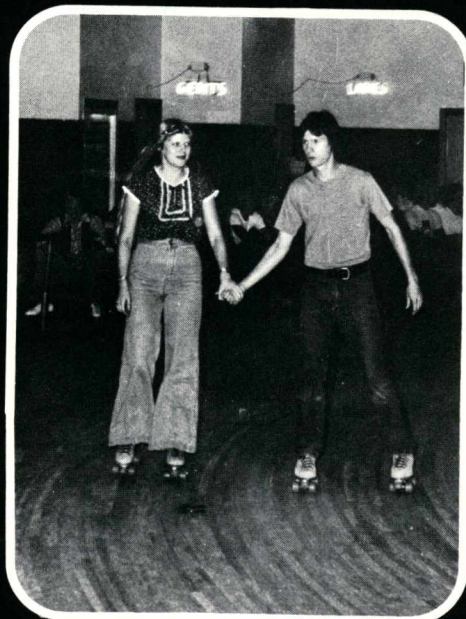
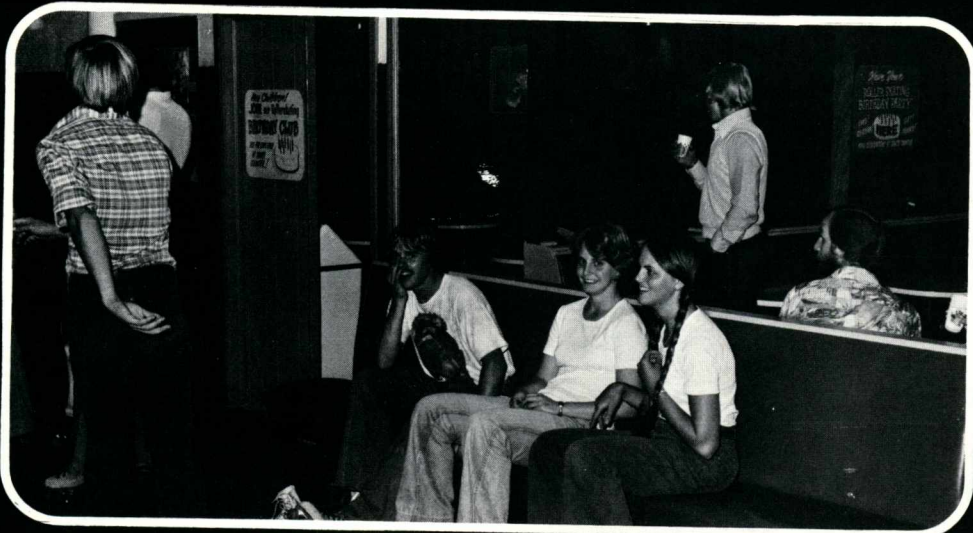
On Saturday, September 4, the All-School Picnic took place in Ann Morrison Park. Many tubing fans took advantage of the Boise River by floating down the River to their destination at the park, where lots of food, games, and fun were waiting. In the afternoon the picnickers headed over the Julia Davis Park bandshell to listen to some of the summer traveling groups give a concert. It was a long day of fun and relaxation, just what we needed before tackling the books for a new term.





Fun and Falls All-School Skate

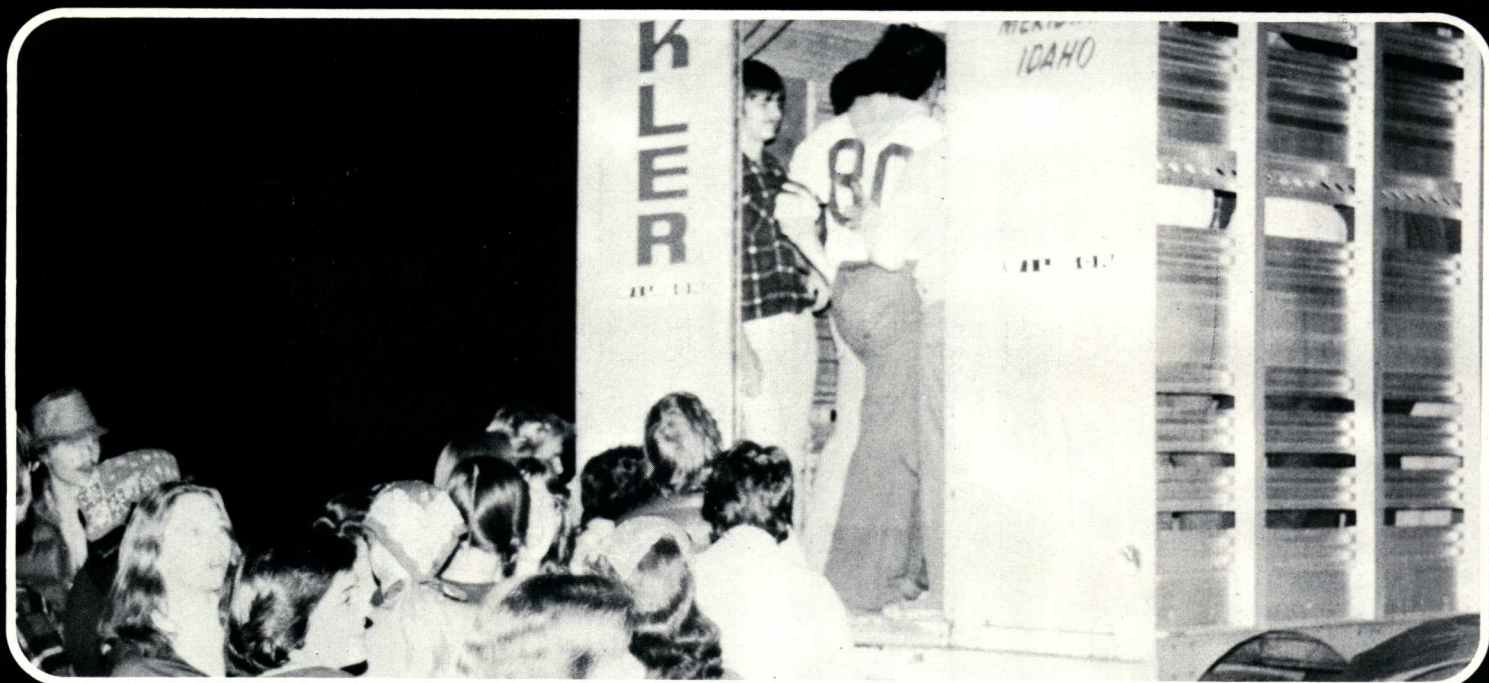
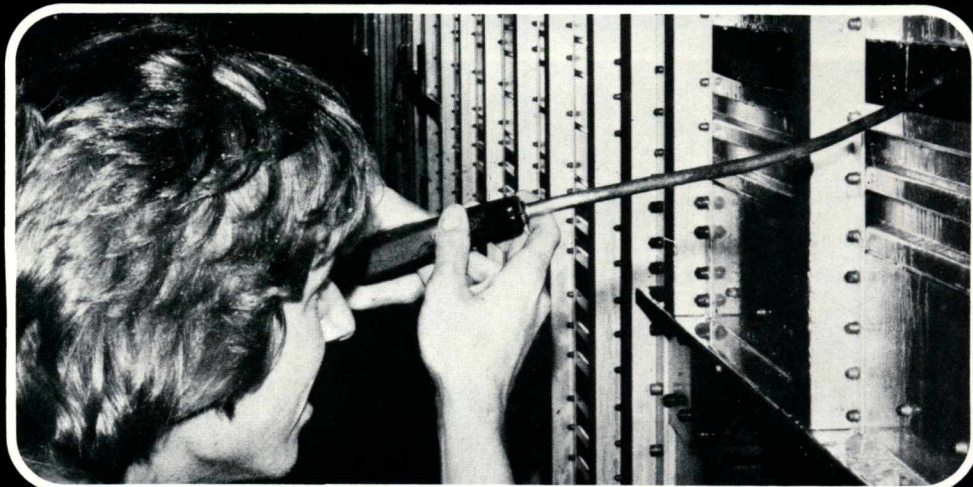
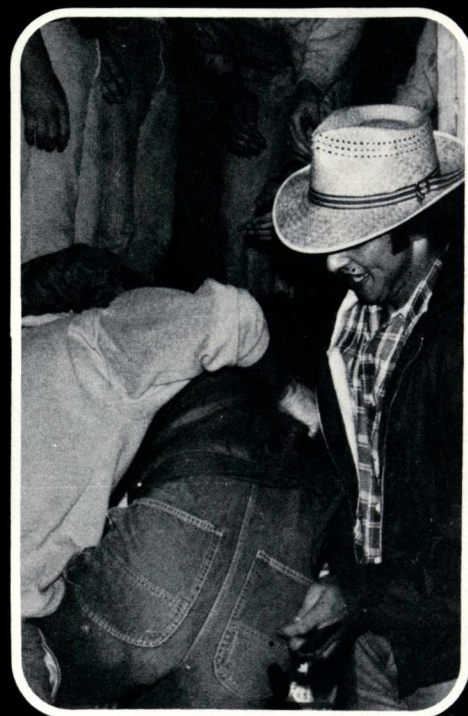
The Nampa Rollerdrome was the place for fun and action on Friday, September 24. This night ASNNC had the rink for the evening and many of the students took advantage of this time to brush up on, or maybe even experience for their first time, the art of roller skating. The night ended with a few bruises, bumps, and blisters, but not enough to thwart anyone from saying they had a good time.

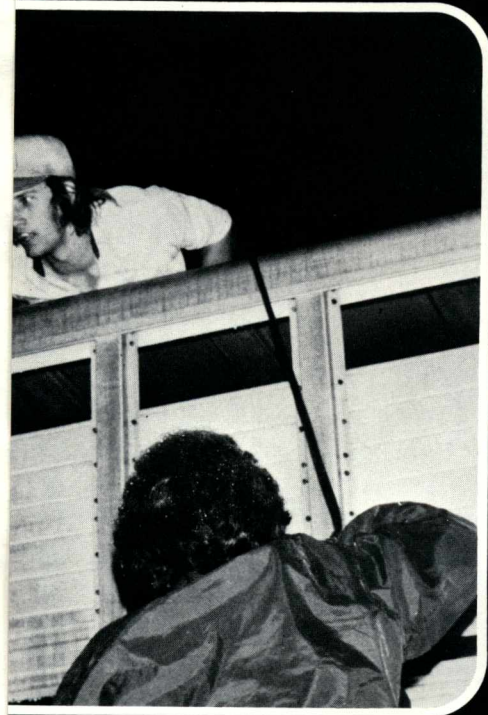


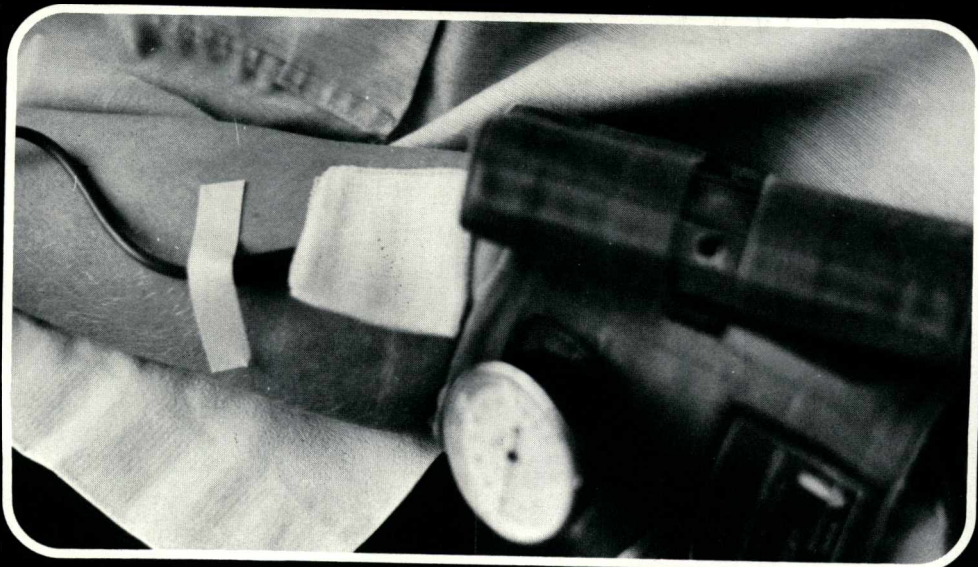
Freshman Initiation

What Did You Expect From Initiation?

Saturday morning came much too early for the Freshmen when they were very rudely awakened and taken to a cattle truck for a breezy early morning ride. The Sophomores, insisting that it was good for their health, then gave the Freshmen a cold shower with a local car wash sprayer. They were then dropped off at a not-so-nearby parking lot and told that they would feel much better after an invigorating walk back home. Of course, this distressed the Freshmen a great deal. But what did they expect from initiation?

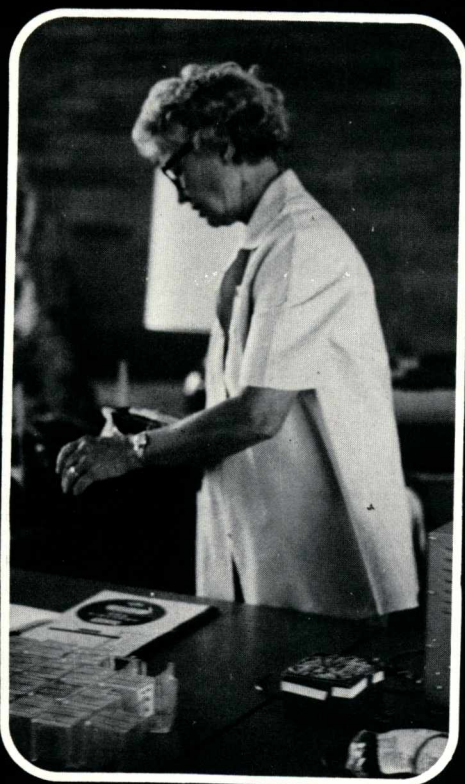
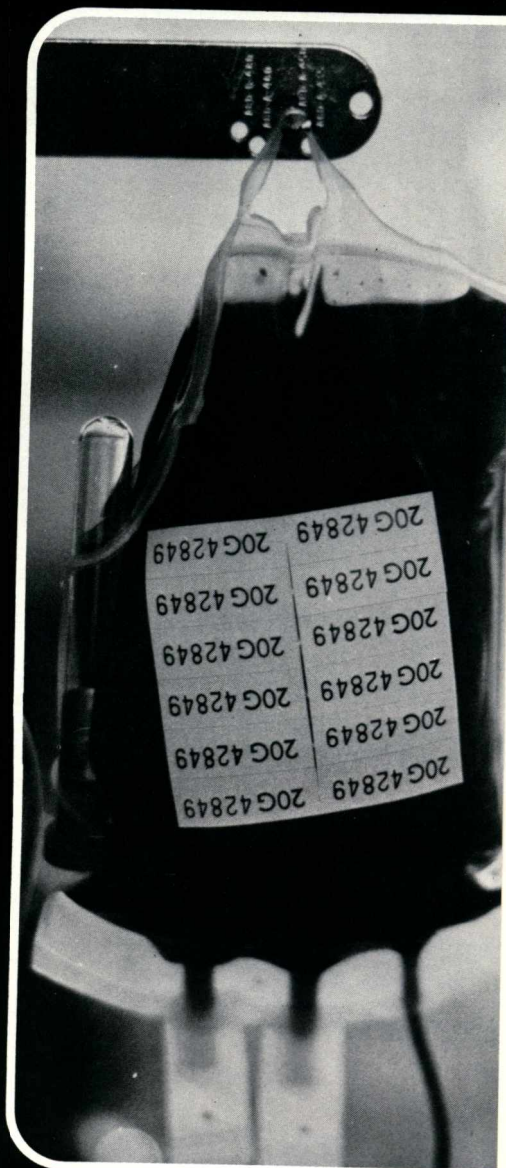


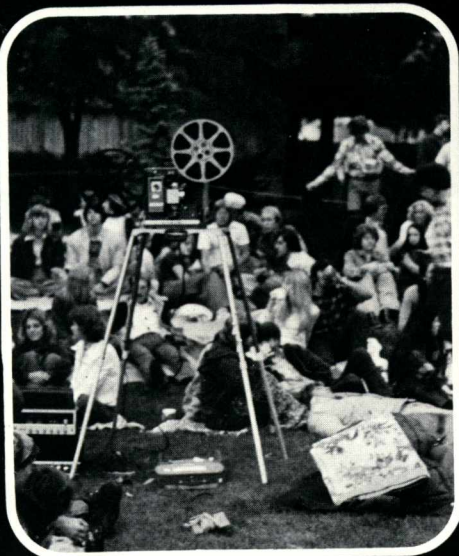




Annual Blood Drive Receives 108 Pints for Red Cross

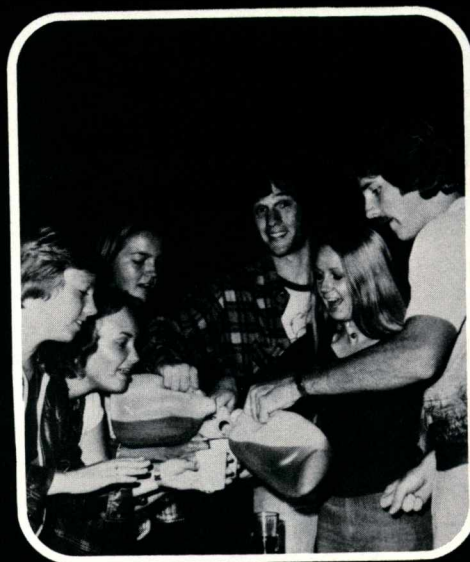
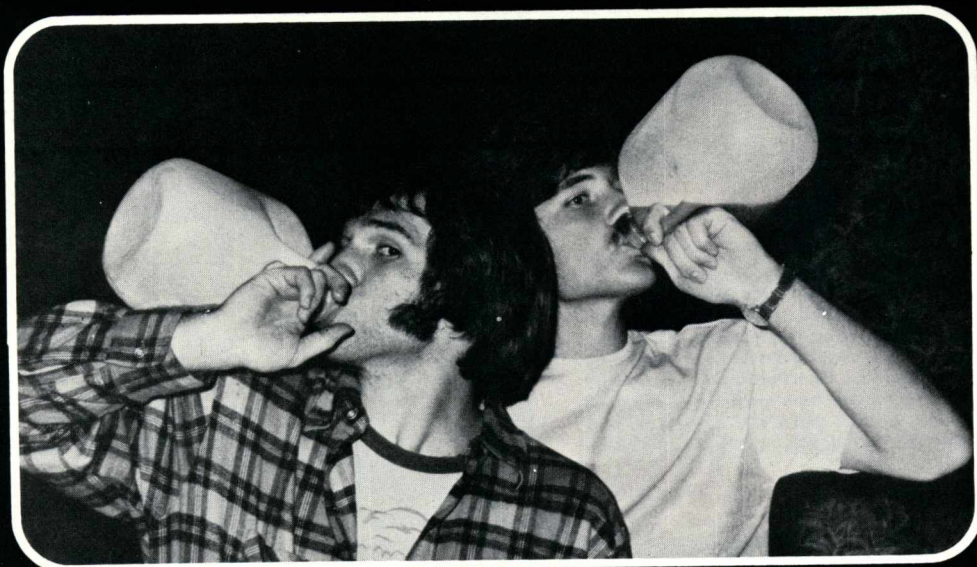
On November 4, 108 students donated blood, leaving the goal of 123 pints short only 15 pints. Many students are not aware of the facts about giving blood and the American Red Cross has been helping to enlighten the students on the real need of giving blood. The Blood Drive is an annual event on the NNC campus and it is a very worthy event, because the blood we donate helps save lives.



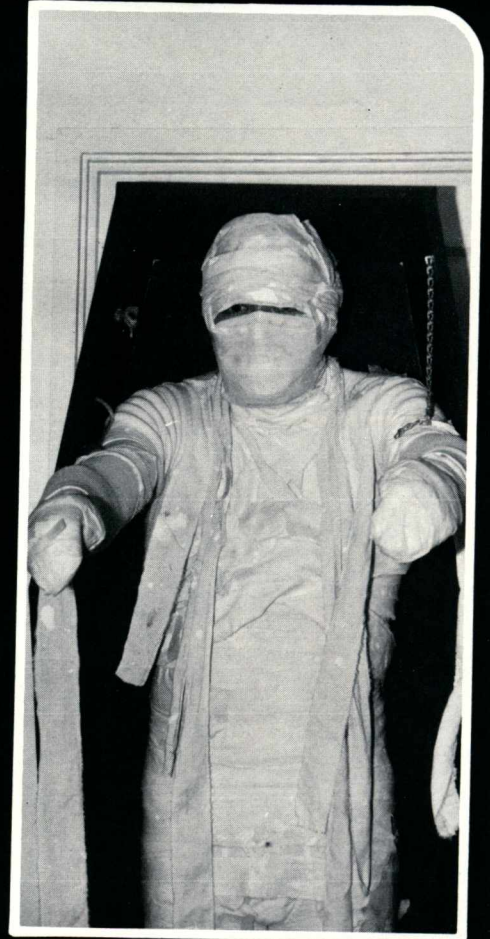


Root Beer Festival: A Bubbling Success

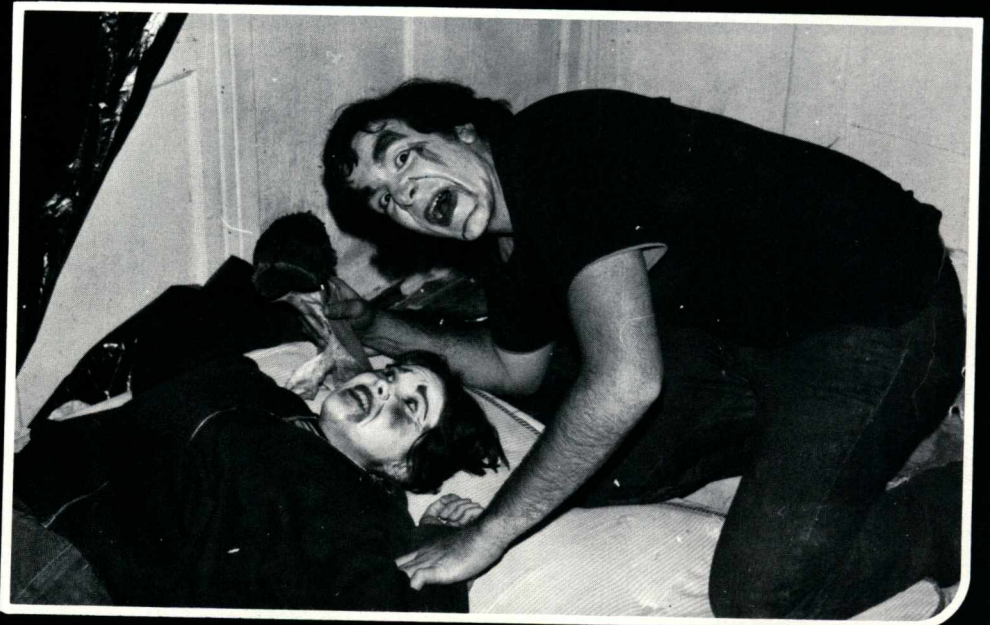
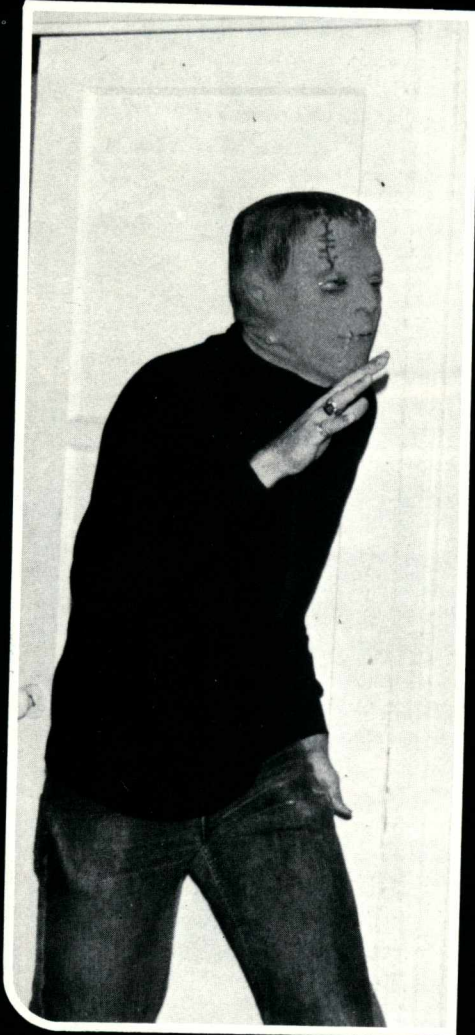
Root Beer and old-time movies were the main attraction at the ASNNC Root Beer Festival on September 18. The Festival was held on the lawn between Dooley and Culver Halls and lots of thirsty people showed up with all kinds of mugs and glasses out of which to drink the Root Beer. The weather was agreeable and everyone had a good time relaxing on the grass with a stomach full of root beer.

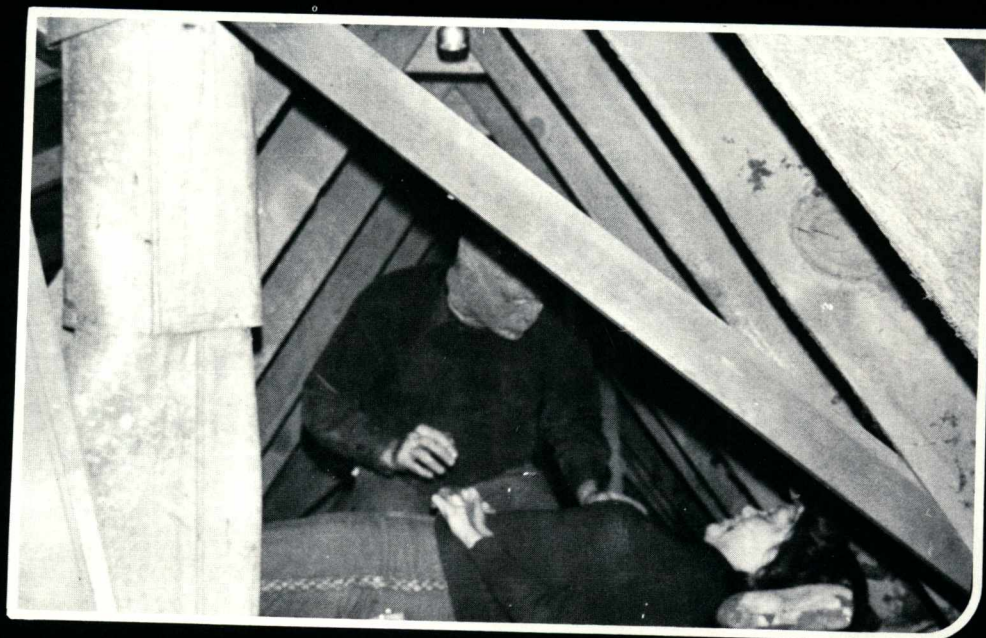
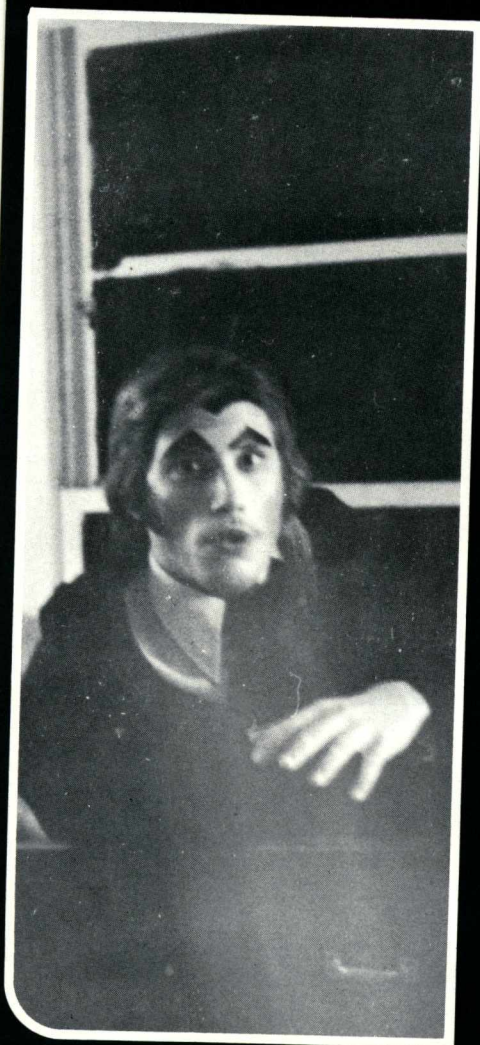


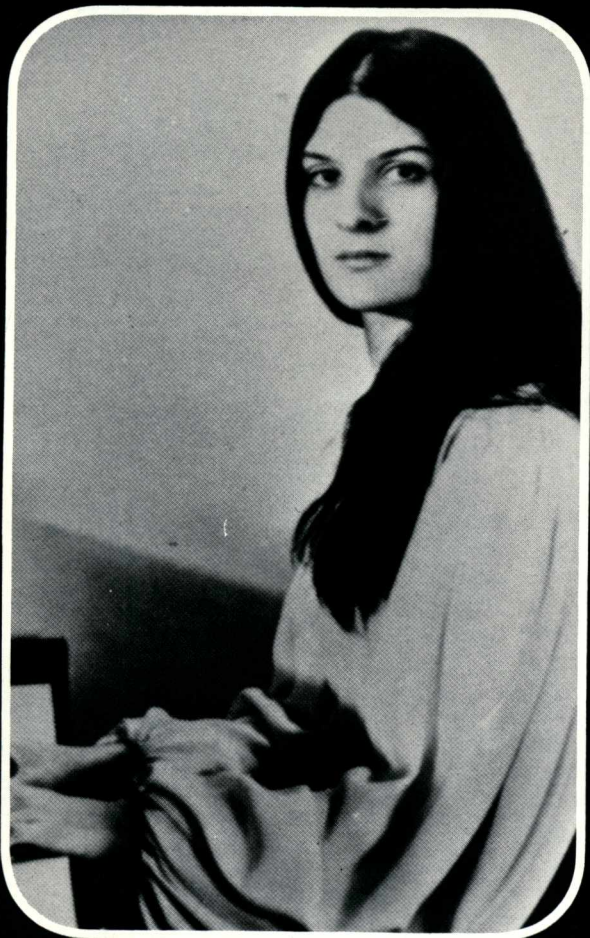
A Full Moon — a Haunted House — Halloween



The Haunted House was a success this year running for three nights, October 28, thru 30, in one of the old Vetville buildings. Attractions like witches, vampires, a mummy, ghosts, a hanging woman, and many weird creatures, brought many to the house to be frightened by its inhabitants. Some were frightened, some were grossed out, and some merely laughed, but whatever they did, it is sure that the House made their Halloween more memorable.







Nina Tichmann, pianist.



Musical Theatre Trio

Nampa Concert Series — 1976-77.

October 14, 1976 — Leonard
Rose, Cellist with Boise
Philharmonic

November 4, 1976 —
Musical Theatre Trio

January 20, 1977 — Nina
Tichmann,

Pianist. April 12, 1977 —

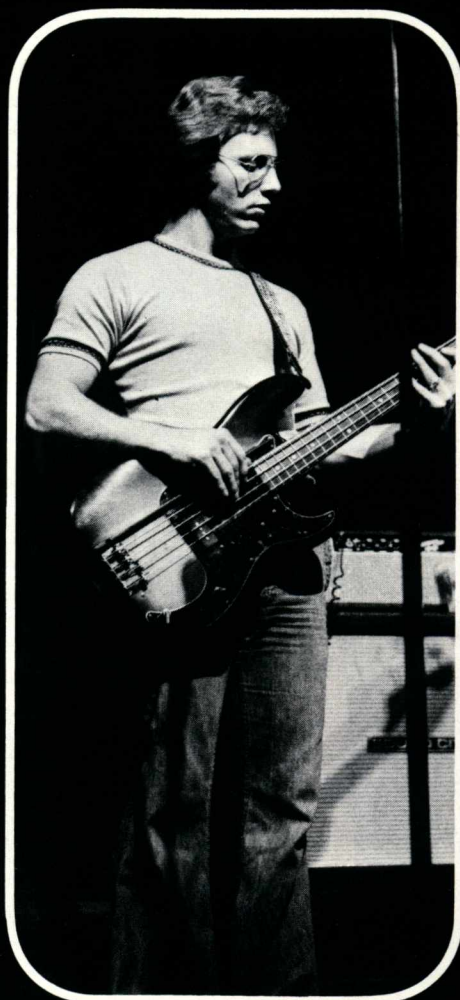
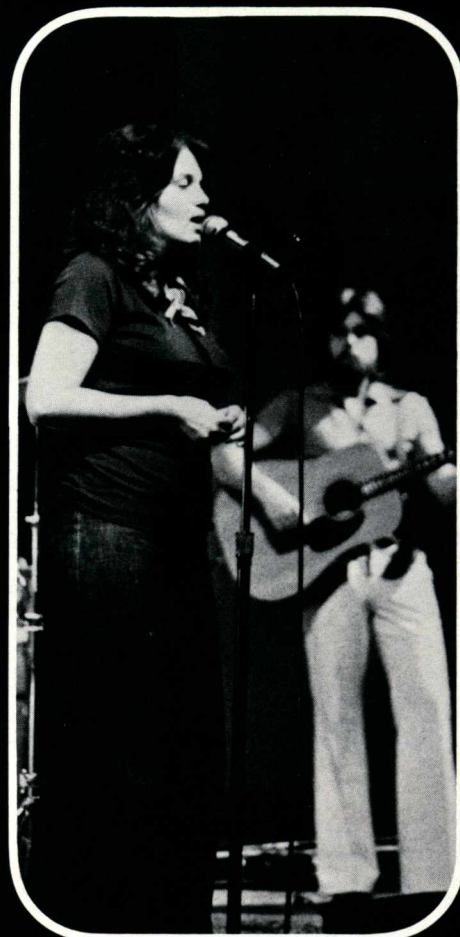
Edmund Karlsruud, Baritone
(not pictured)



Leonard Rose, cellist.

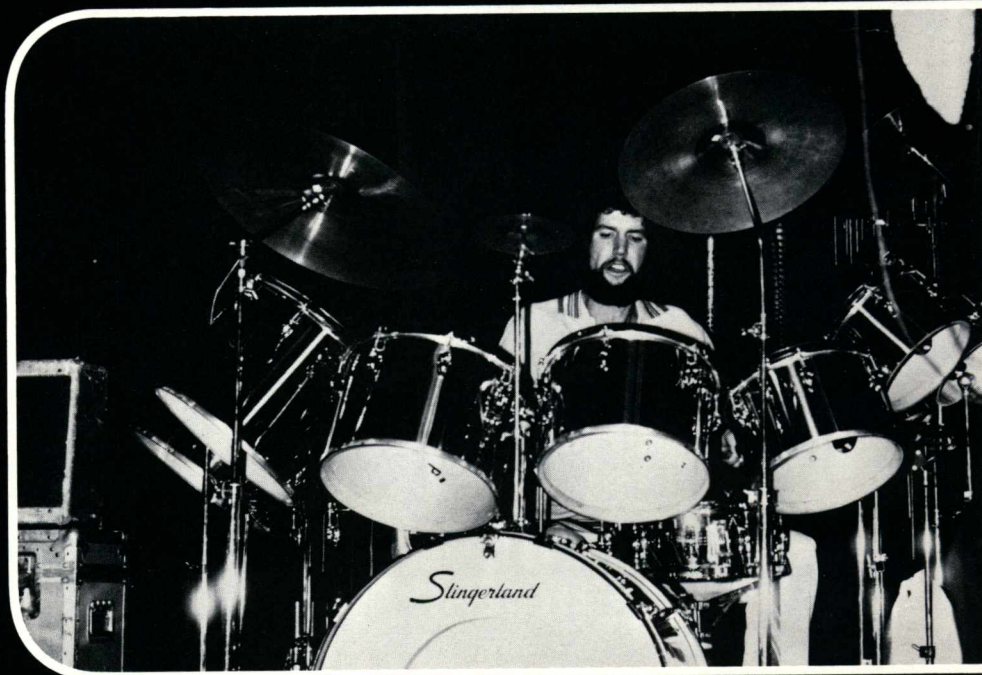
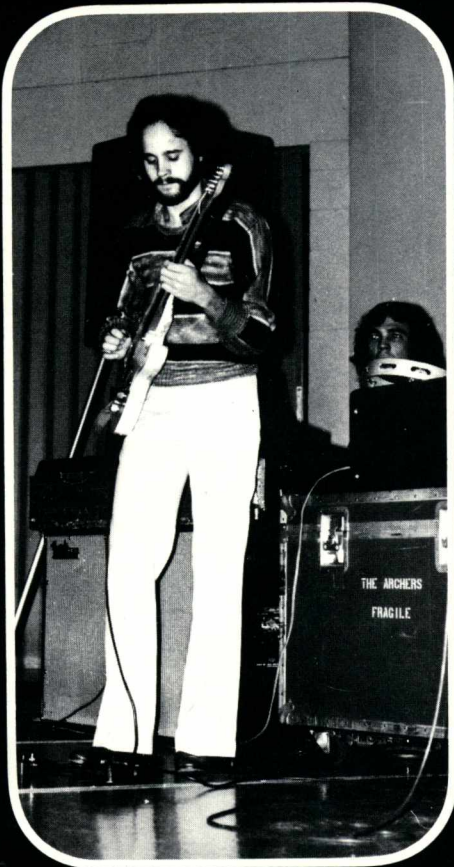
"Faith Flight" Sets Pace of Excellent Concerts for the Year

On October 15 at 9:30 p.m. in the Science Lecture Hall, "Faith Flight" gave a gospel concert. Their music was easy listening and their Christian witness was sincere. It was a good time of sharing for those who attended.



The Archers

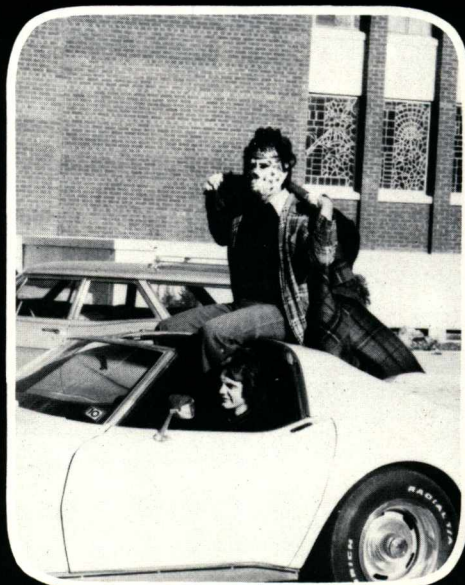
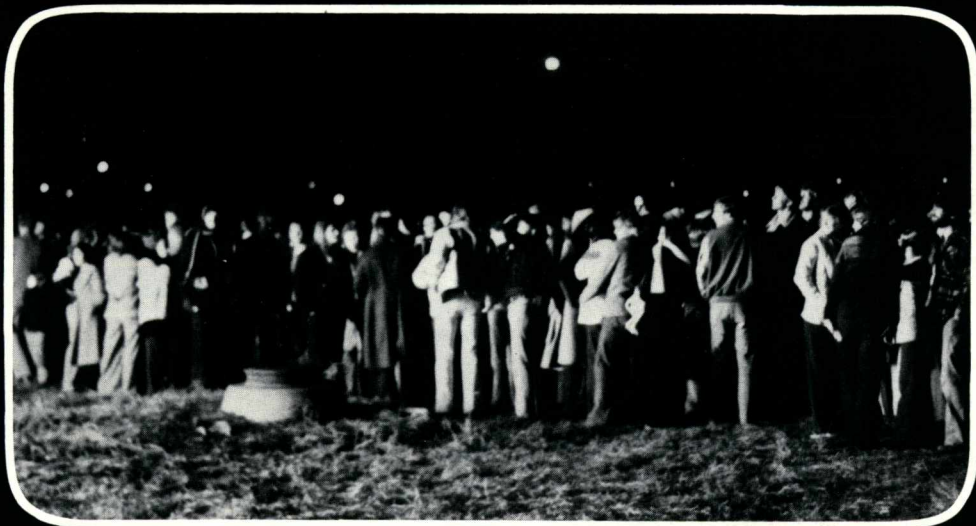
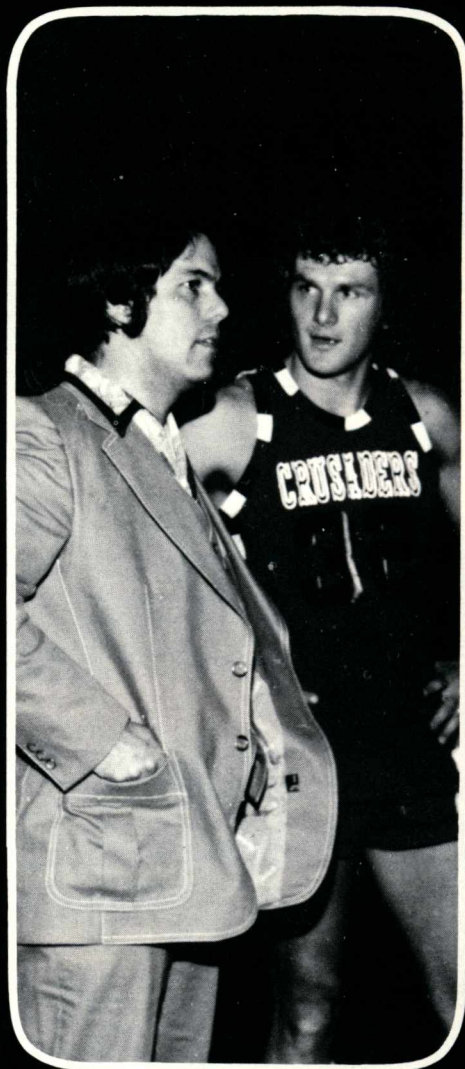
The Archers presented a concert November 3 at 8:00 p.m. in the Science Lecture Hall. This group, led by brothers Tim and Steve Archer, have been ministering through the contemporary sounds of today. They have travelled nationwide. Their ministry here was appreciated.

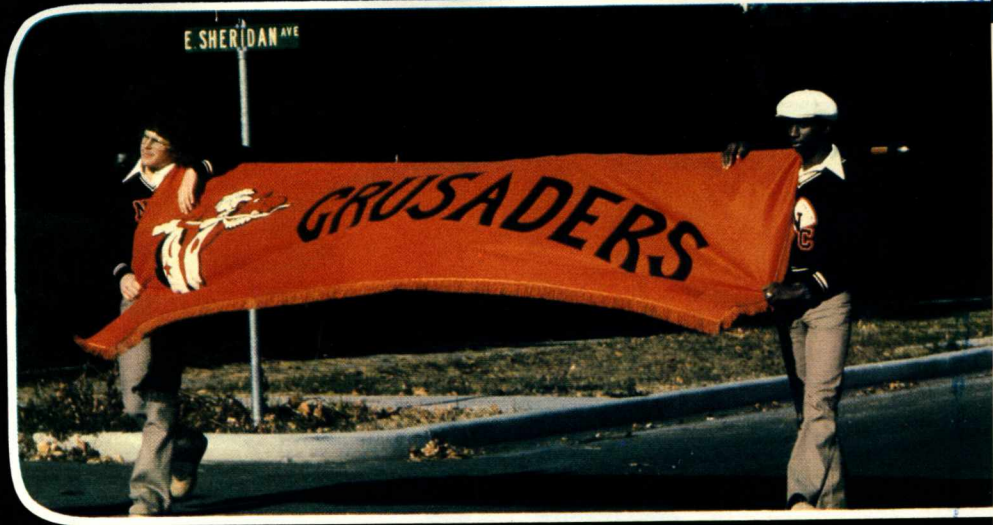
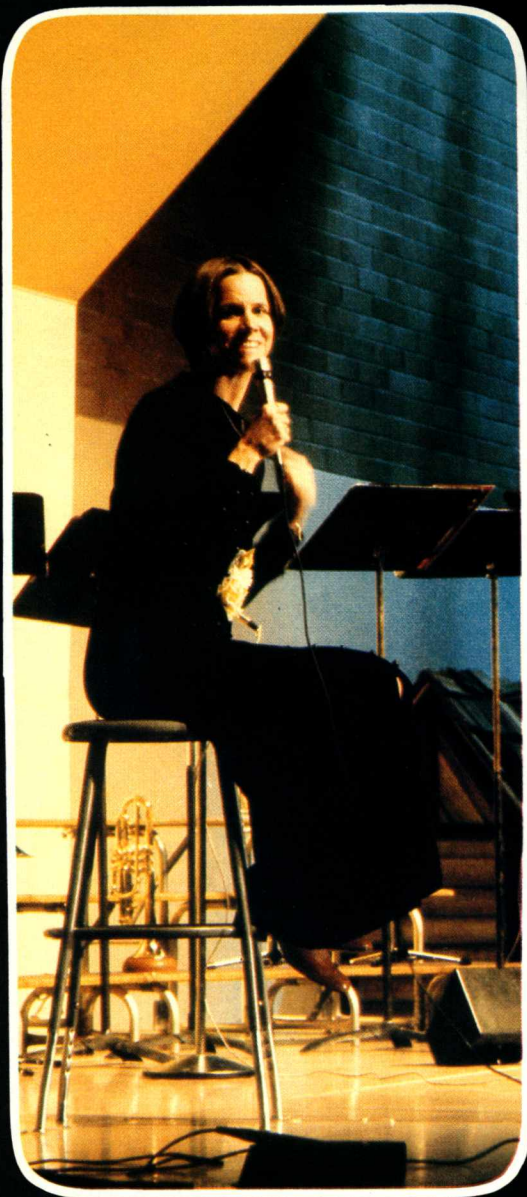


God's Love . . . Changing Our World . . .

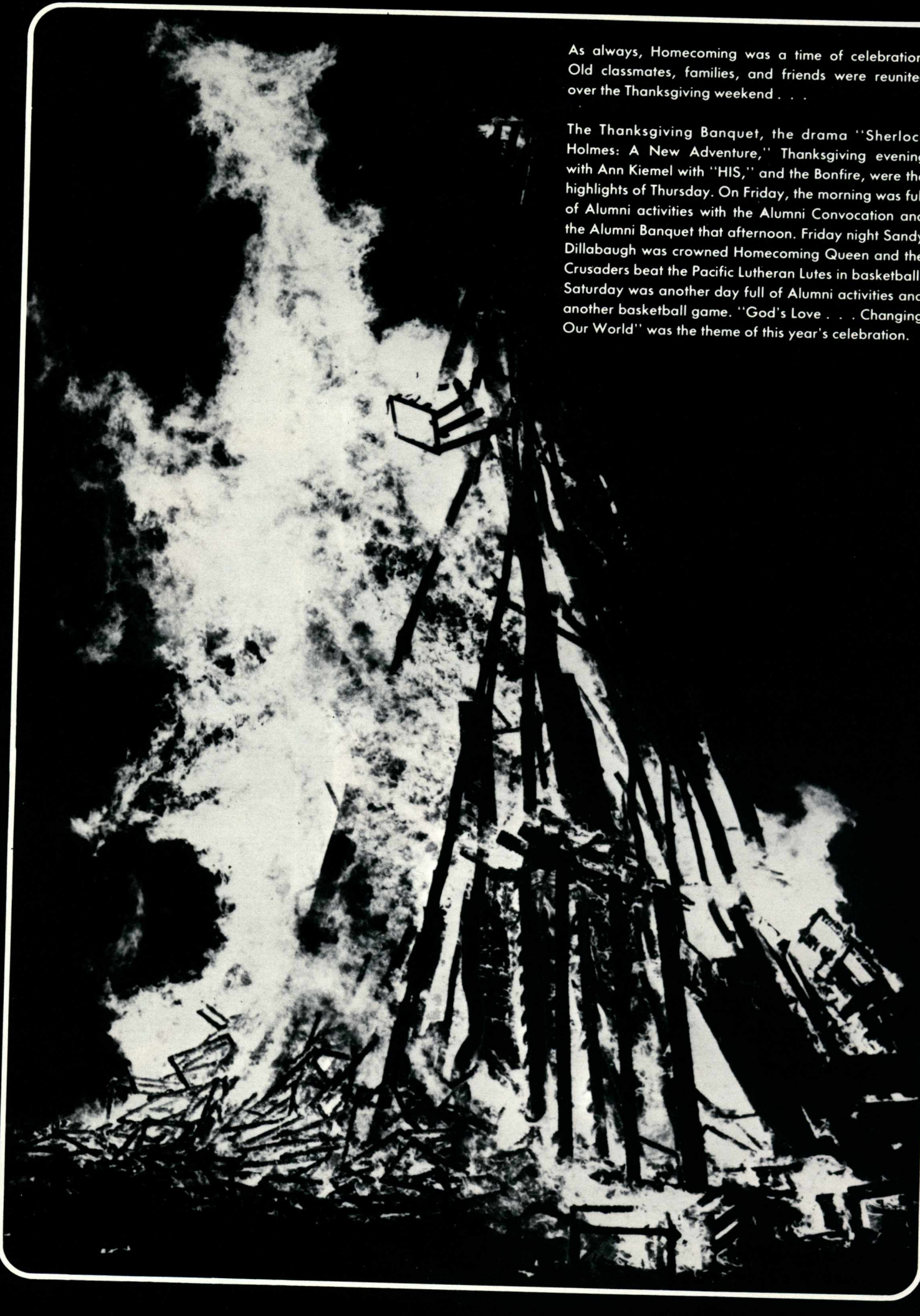


Homecoming 1976



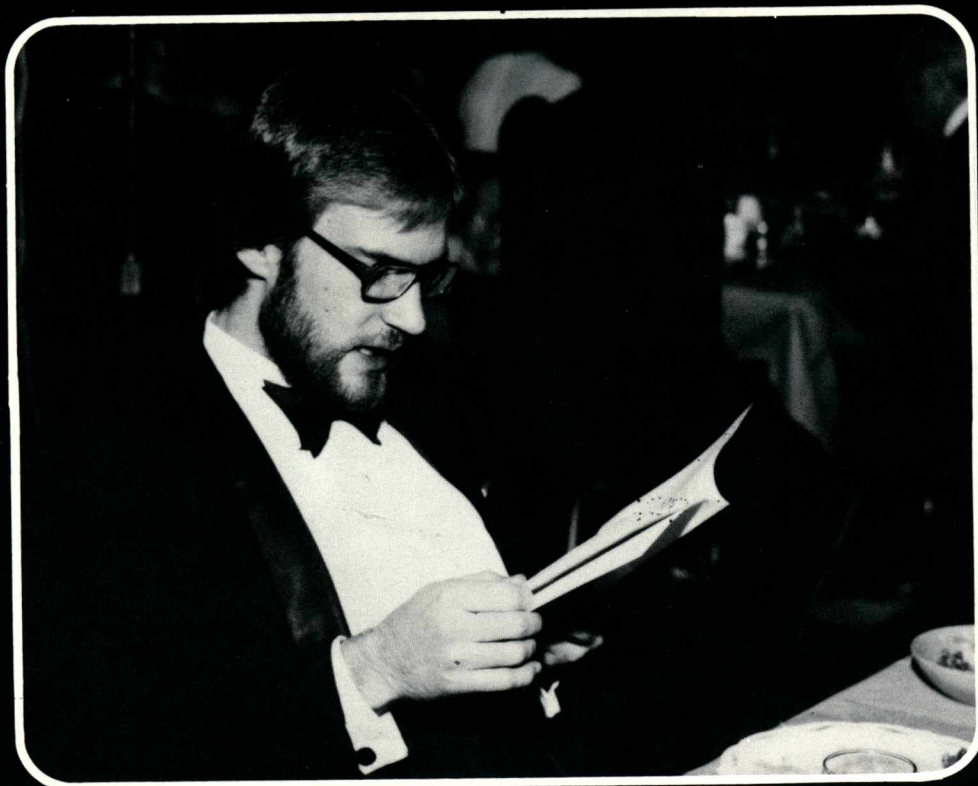




A high-contrast, black and white photograph of a large bonfire. The fire is intense, with bright white flames and thick black smoke rising into the air. A wooden chair is perched precariously on a high branch of the burning structure. The foreground is dark, showing the base of the fire and some scattered logs.

As always, Homecoming was a time of celebration. Old classmates, families, and friends were reunited over the Thanksgiving weekend . . .

The Thanksgiving Banquet, the drama "Sherlock Holmes: A New Adventure," Thanksgiving evening with Ann Kiemel with "HIS," and the Bonfire, were the highlights of Thursday. On Friday, the morning was full of Alumni activities with the Alumni Convocation and the Alumni Banquet that afternoon. Friday night Sandy Dillabaugh was crowned Homecoming Queen and the Crusaders beat the Pacific Lutheran Lutes in basketball. Saturday was another day full of Alumni activities and another basketball game. "God's Love . . . Changing Our World" was the theme of this year's celebration.



Thanksgiving and Alumni Banquets



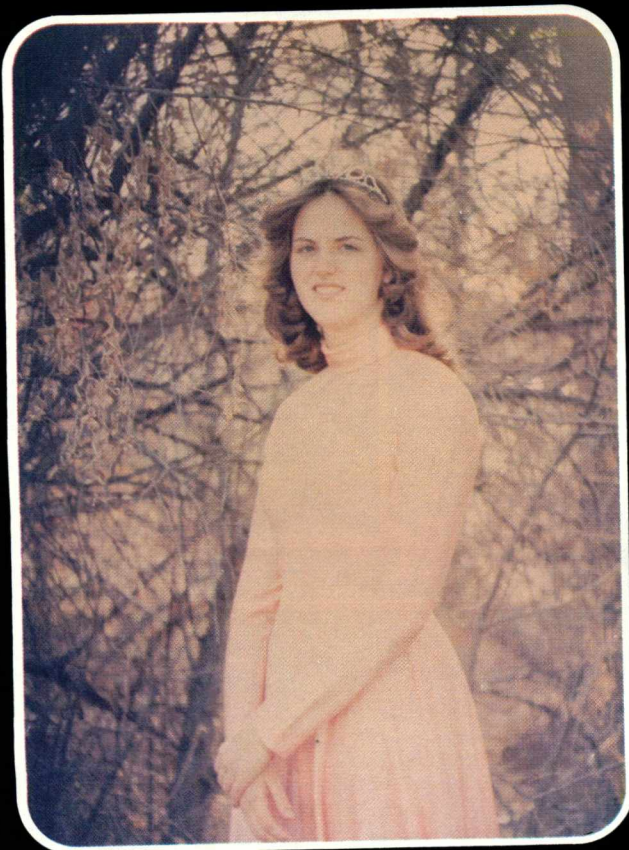
The Thanksgiving Banquet was held in SAGA on Thursday November 25 at 4:00 pm. Crusader Choir provided the music. The Alumni Banquet was November 25 at 2:30 pm in SAGA dining room. The music was provided by the Northwesterners.



Homecoming Queen Sandy Dillabaugh

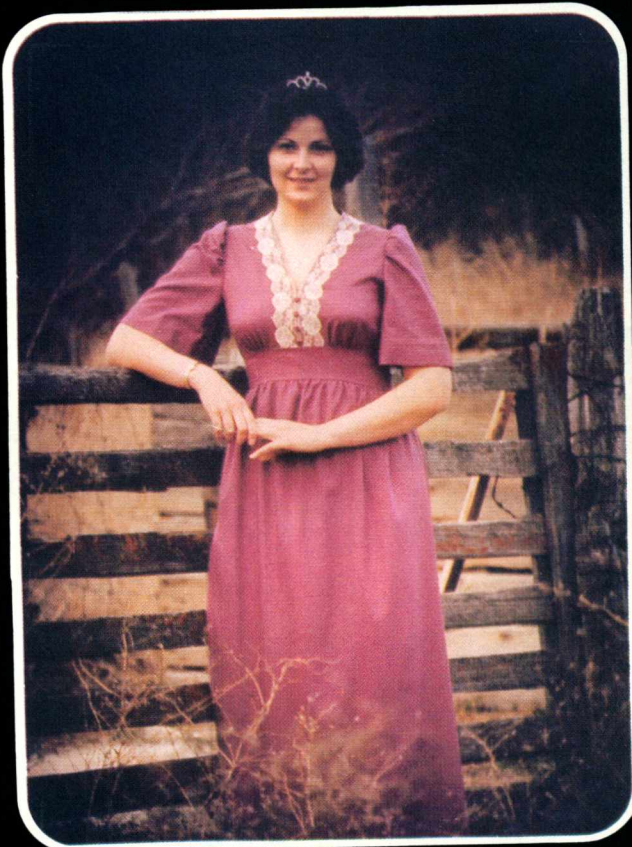


Ruthie Kollars



Homecoming Court

Mary Whaley



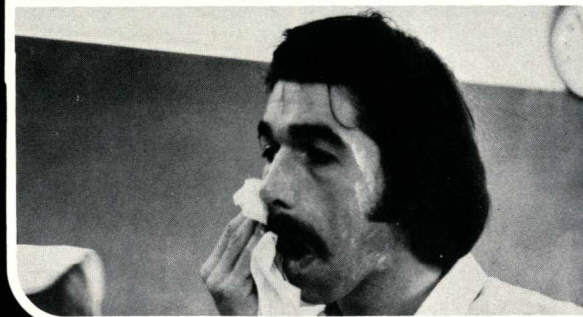
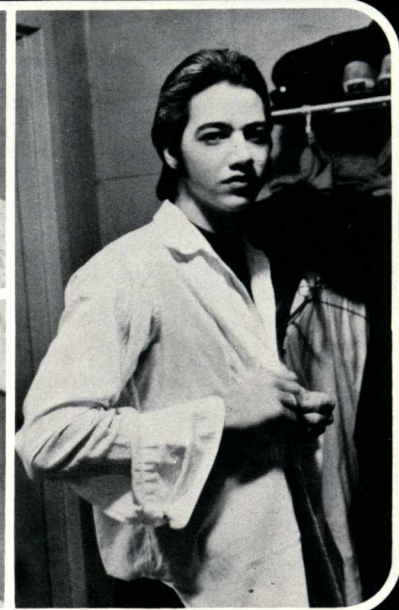
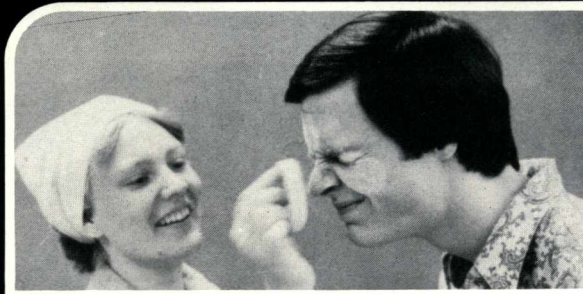
Joan Shockley



Christy Toland

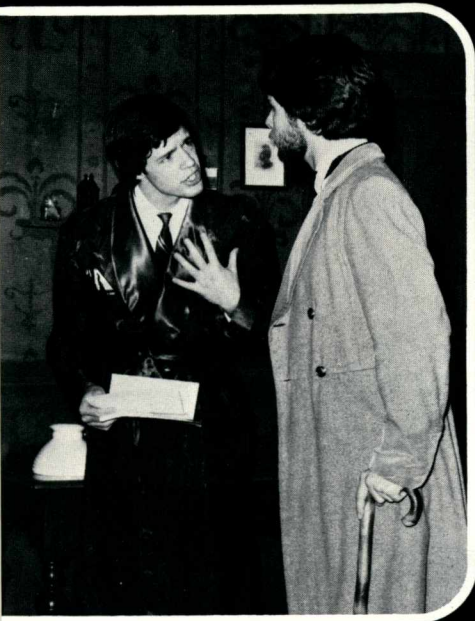
"Sherlock Holmes: A New Adventure"

The veiled Woman Roxie Lutz
 Dr. Watson Stephen Hicks
 Billy Ed Hudson
 Sherlock Holmes Jerry Cohagan
 Bassick Paul Bentley
 Professor Moriarty Jeff Bell
 Mollykate Shelley Leetch
 Madge Larrabee Nancy Fraley
 Judson Clayton Funk
 James Larrabee Rick Edwards
 Terese Theresa Miller
 Lord Swandam Byran Williams
 Charlotte Fairchild Bev Lonn



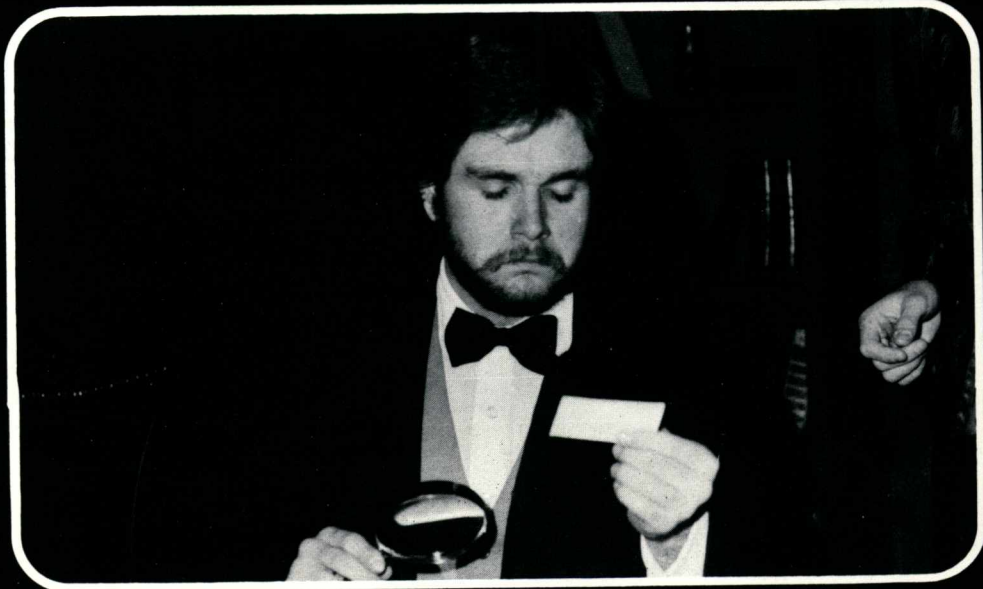
Getting Ready





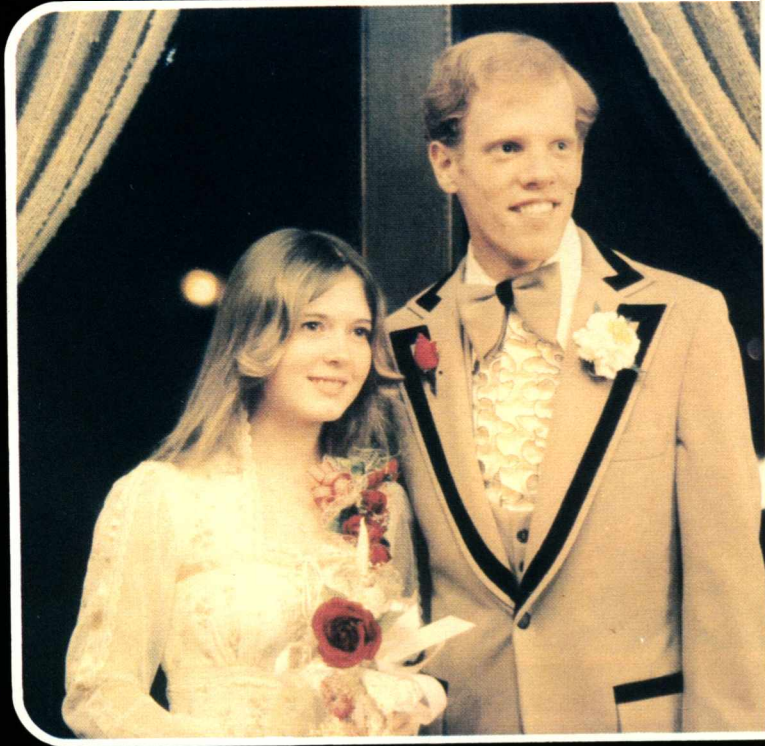
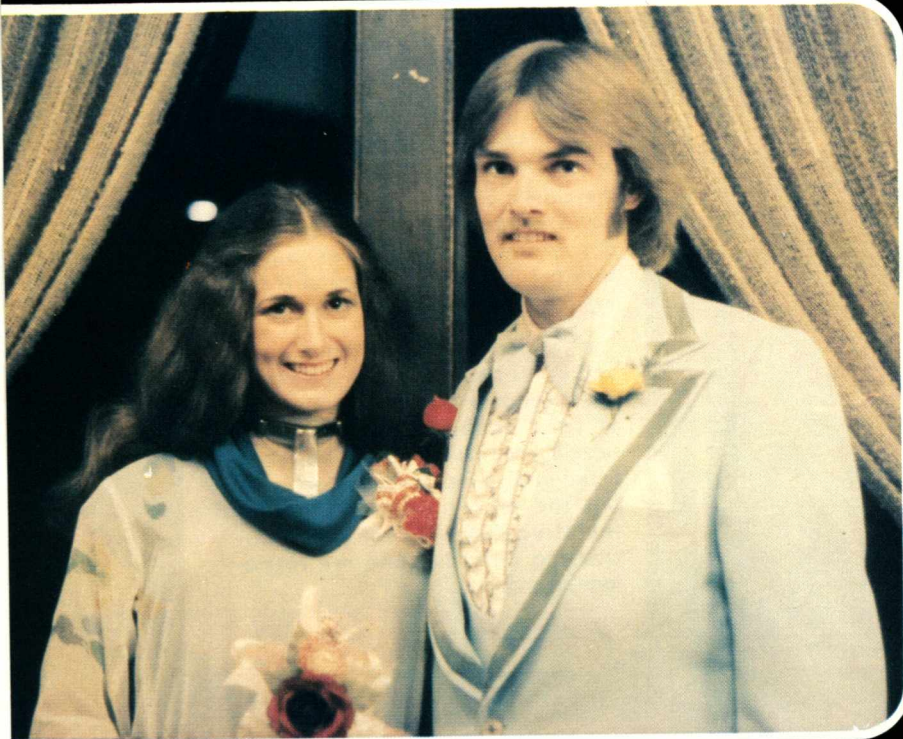
Thomas Hinton's "Sherlock Holmes: A New Adventure" centers around the classic Sir Arthur Doyle character, Sherlock Holmes, and his companion Dr. Watson. Holmes' adversary for this particular round is the evil (naturally) Professor Moriarty.

This two-hour confrontation of good and evil is prompted by the mysterious disappearance of the new wife of Lord Swandon. Holmes, after rejecting the case takes up the challenge after a maid is murdered in his flat. The rest of the drama chronicles the struggles between the pipe-smoking detective and the Napoleon of crime.



Sweethearts[®]

Scott Barlow and Marilee Streight
Don Creasman and Kathy Huffman
Dan Noel and Janine Bartlow



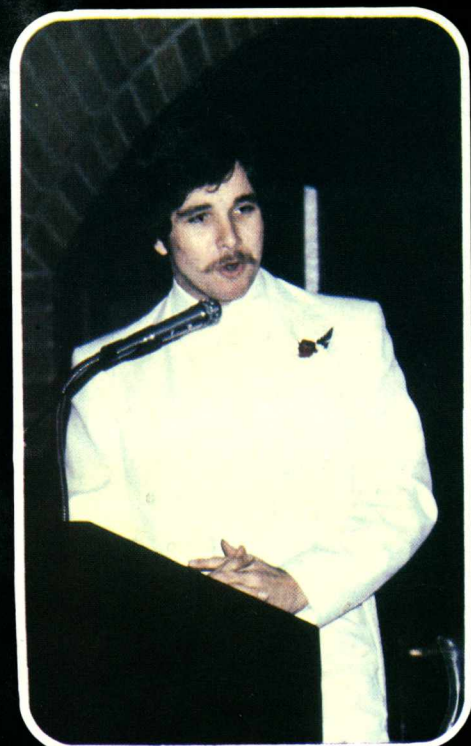
Mark Bodenstab and
Jennifer Wiesen

"Love Is Everything
It's Meant to Be."

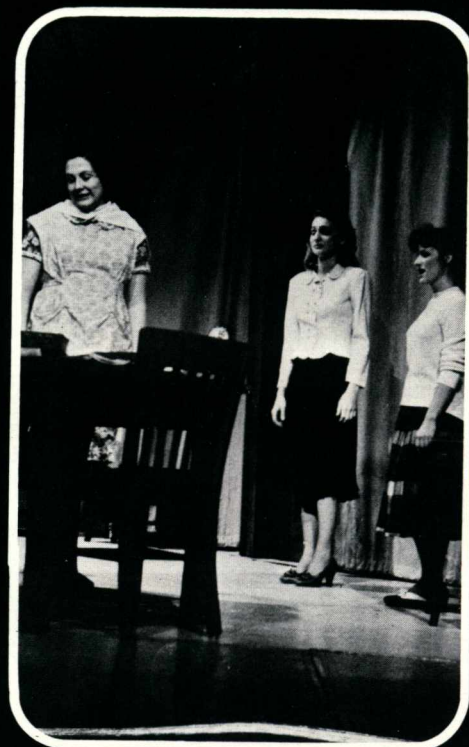
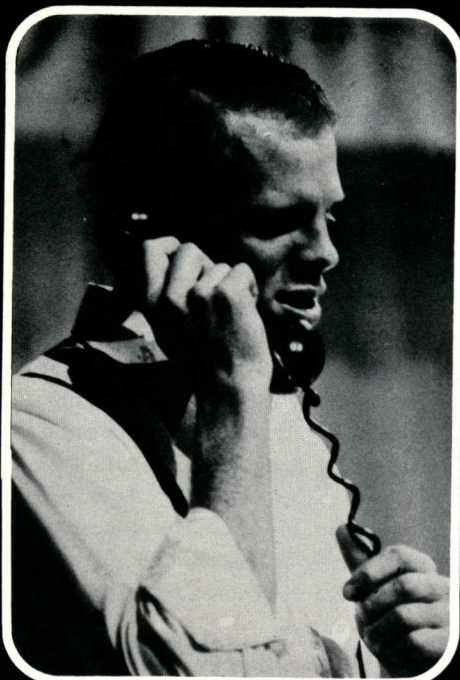
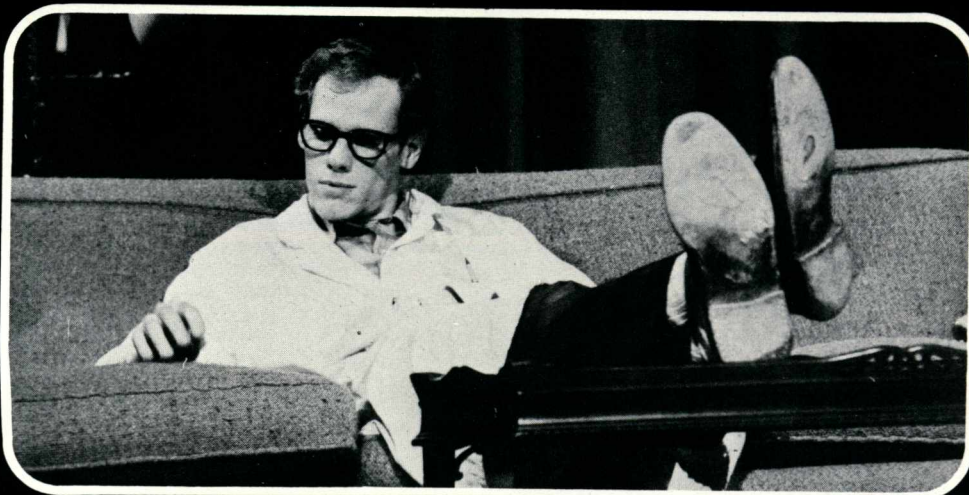


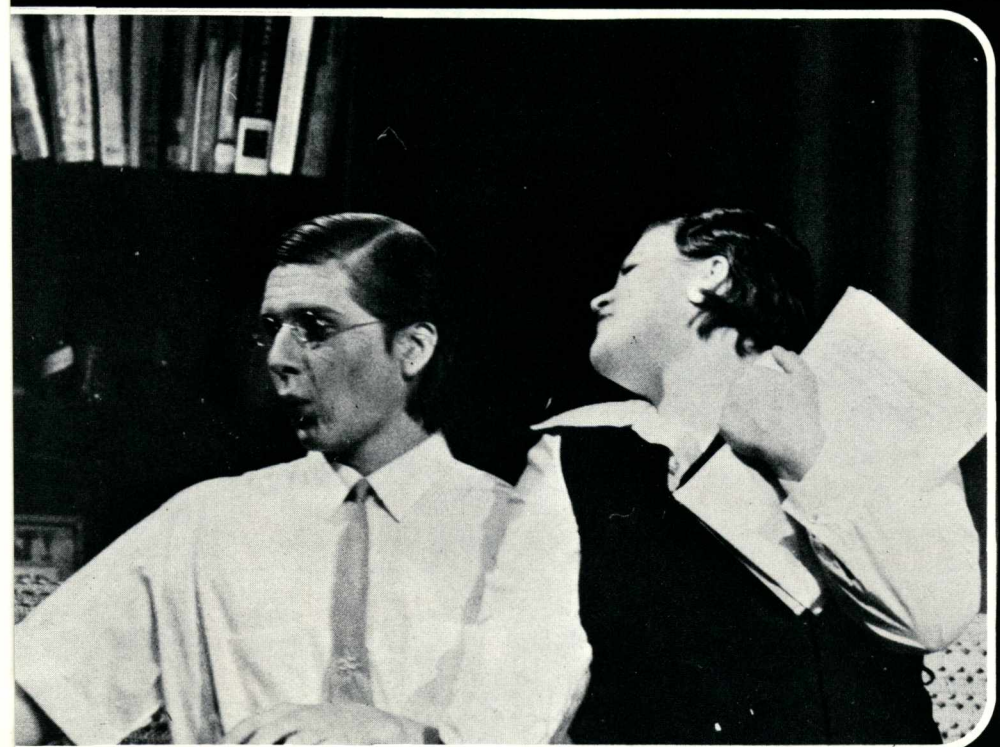
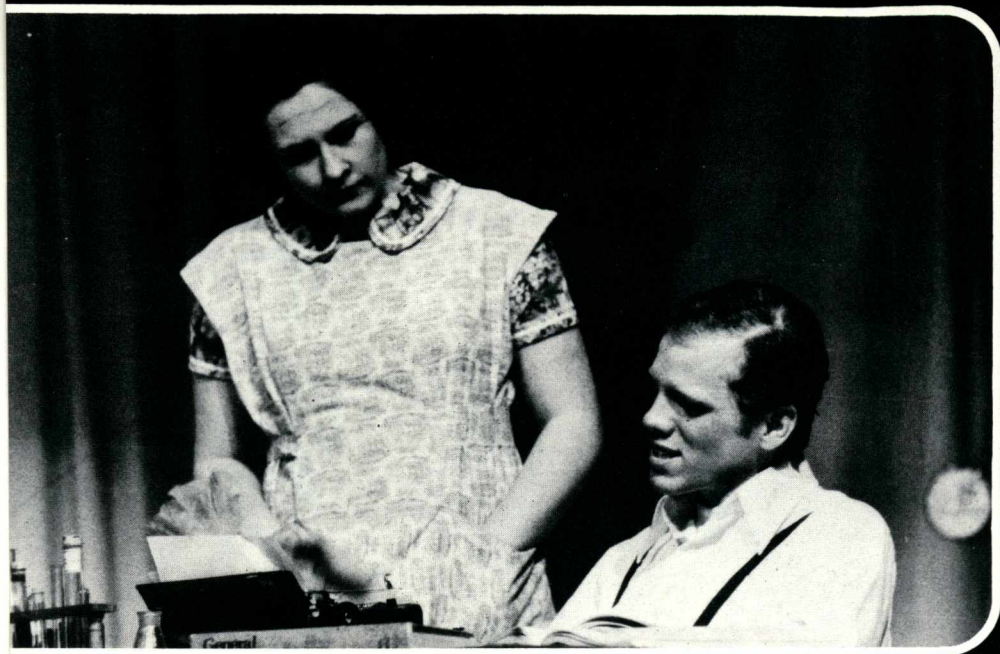
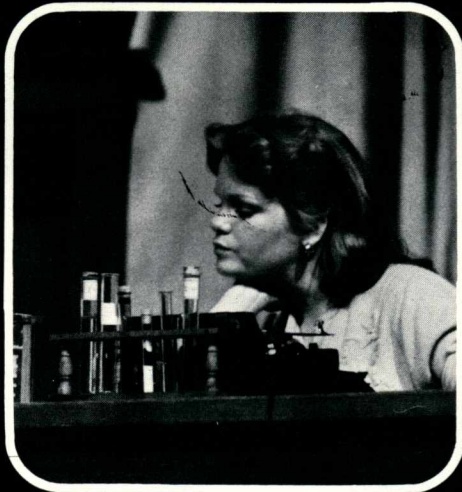
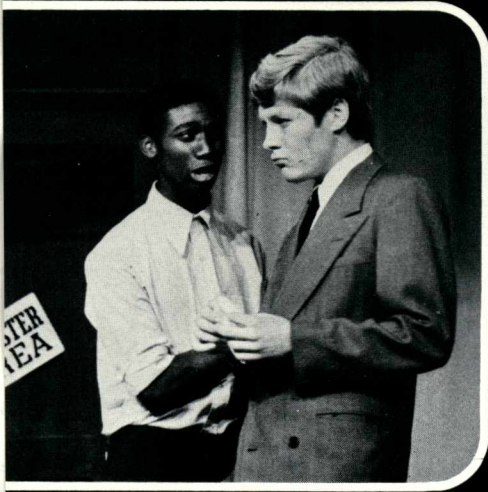
The Valentine Banquet

The theme of the Valentine Banquet this year was "Love is Everything it's Meant to Be" which was Feb. 12 at the Rodeway Inn. The decorations, supervised by Robin Merrick, added to the lovely atmosphere of the banquet room. The steak dinner was finished by a program, emceed by Steve Hicks, with Ron Ponsford speaking on what love meant to him. Music for the Banquet was provided by Faith Freedom Trio and Mark Almond.



Anne Purcell Penny Andrew
 Henry Purcell Jerry Cohagan
 Vivian George Jan Corrin
 Howard Brant Don Creasman
 Ed Burns Ron Creasman
 Professor Virgil Bean Clayton Funk
 Dr. Dixon Marty Gentzler
 Vic Lewis Ed Hudson
 Lou Herron Bev Lunn
 Aunt Maude Corey Denise Ness
 Pheobe Purcell Linda Scott
 Mrs. Spangler Glenda Wardlaw





Junior Class Play "Spring Fever"

Written by Glenn Hughes, the play is a comedy about college life in the '40's. The play's action centers in a male boarding house owned by Mrs. Spangler. There were plenty of laughs and never a dull moment in this fast-moving comedy. And apparently college life hasn't changed much over the years. Spring Fever was truly an enjoyable experience for everyone who went.

Senior Slick: Turn
Back the Hands of
Time





On January 28 once again the hands of time were turned back to reminisce the golden days of the 1950's. As tradition goes, students turned out looking like they had just walked out of an old yearbook with their slicked backed hair, white shirts, rolled-up blue jeans, and curly hair, bobby-socks, and red lipstick. After an exciting game with EOSC the "Slickers" packed out the Science Lecture Hall to listen to the all-star "Pennzoil and the 50-weights" along with the "Tough Lovin' Chicks" and "Sisters." After this it was time for hot-dogs and pop at the SAGA soda fountain. When the fountain was drained the hands were turned back to 1977, the only problem was the greasy hair.



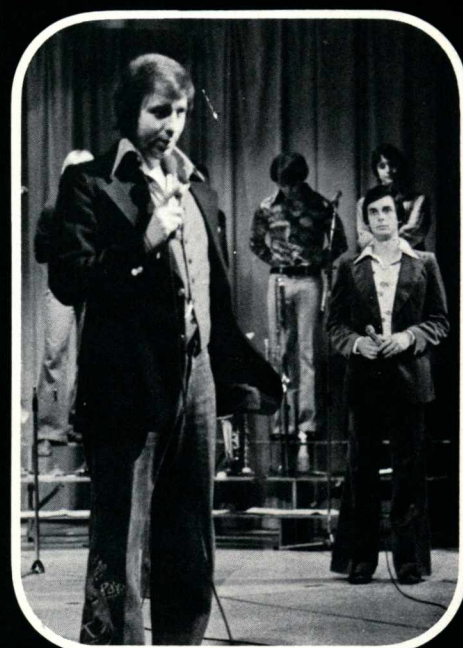
"Just André In Concert

On February 1 at 8:00 pm to a field-house packed with people "Just André" came to share his music and testimony. André Crouch is one of the leading composers and singers of gospel music. His concert was a great time of praising the Lord.



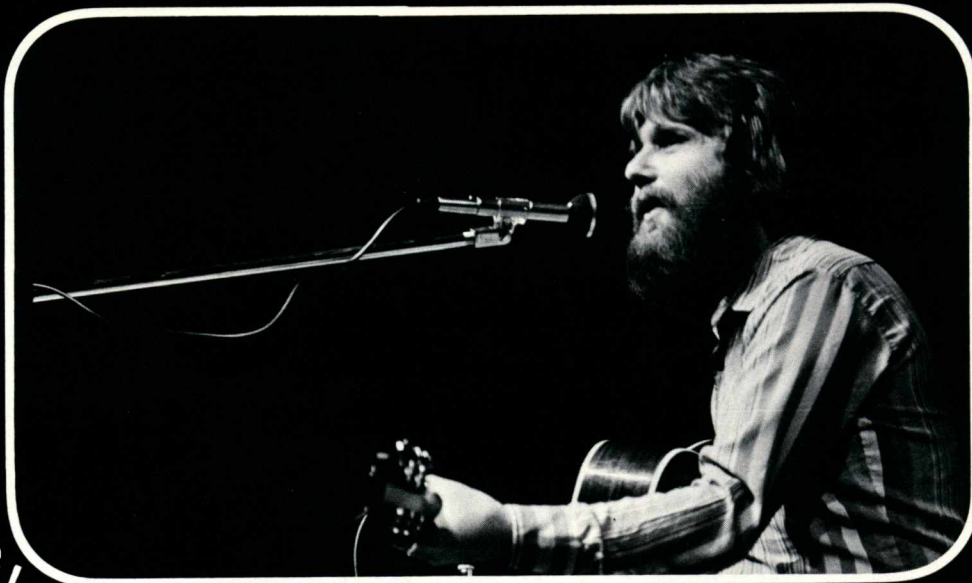
A Packed House and "Truth"

On March 26 at 8:00 p.m. "Truth" gave a concert to a packed house, with people even sitting in the aisles, in the Science Lecture Hall. "Truth" is a 19-member touring musical group using singers, guitars, a brass section, drums, piano, and synthesizer. They gave a great concert and everyone is looking forward to hearing them again next year.



Girard, Alone, Ministers to NNC

Chuck Girard was at NNC on April 23 in the Science Lecture Hall to give a concert. Accompanying himself on either the guitar or piano, Girard's music took on a more folk rock style. His message of how Jesus can change lives, though, transcended his music, and all who were there experienced a time of contemplative reflection and renewed joy in the Lord.



Last Concert: The Gaithers

On May 10 the Gaithers, along with the Slaughters, arrived in their buses to perform in the NNC gymnasium that evening. The Gaithers write most of their own music and they gave a concert to over 1500 people that evening. The Gaithers' lives are testimonies for the Lord, and their concert was an uplift for everyone in attendance.





College Choir, directed by Dr. Marvin Stallcop, is the first year choir. It is a large choir of 70 to 80 people. They have two major concerts each year. They perform selections from the "Messiah" in the fall and they have a spring concert. They also sing in several chapel services. This year the "Messiah" was performed on November 28 in College Church of the Nazarene. They were assisted by a string ensemble, piano, organ, and soloists.



College Concert Choir Performs "Messiah"





Crusader Choir is a sacred choir of 45 to 55 people. This choir sang in the Jester Har-
 riston concert last fall, in churches in Utah and Colorado during their annual tour and
 has also sang in many of the churches around the valley as well as Chapel services
 and Commencement. Crusader Choir plans to tour Europe for its third time in the sum-
 mer of 1978. Dr. Marvin Bloomquist is the director.

Personnel

Soprano

Ann Adamson
 Melody Clapp
 Dani Grunsted
 Joylyn Gunter
 Rhonda Hills
 Jannet Kinsinger
 Ruthie Kollars
 Doreen Lay
 Doris Lay
 Susan McCord
 Christy Mendenhall
 Sherri Roark
 Debbie Roberts
 Linda Scott
 Vicky Sheffield

Tenor

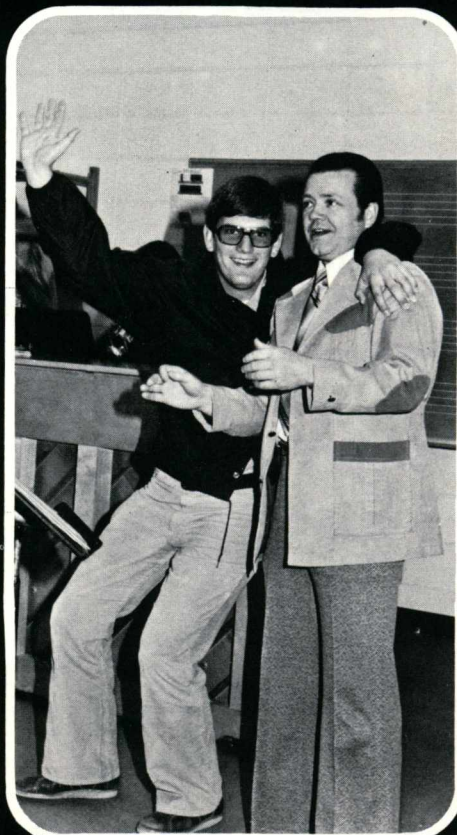
Kent Bloomquist
 Loren Burnett
 Ken Courtney
 Gary Field
 Dick Huling
 Mark Joneschiet
 Jeff Lenker
 Rollie Miller
 Dave Powers
 Lennie Spooner
 Ken Spurlock
 Leonard Tenorio
 Ed Wheeler
 Roger Wilde

Alto

Vickie Bowles
 Zelma Doerksen
 Gail Ellison
 Paula Hauge
 Cindy Hess
 Charlaaine Higley
 Judy Moench
 Pat Parkin
 Nancy Parks
 Debbie Rogers
 Sheryl Sumner
 Diane Trotter
 Jennifer Weisen
 Charla Wheeler
 Denise Williams

Bass

Dave Anderson
 Greg Bullock
 Don Creasman
 Ron Creasman
 Carlton Harvey
 Steve Hicks
 Kenneth Kelly
 Dave Manley
 Fred Slonaker
 Bryan Williams
 Rick Wilson
 Larry Wood



Carlton Harvey, student director, and Dr.
 Marvin Bloomquist, director.

Crusader Choir Tours Colorado



Northwesterners Tour the Orient



Northwesterners at Osaka Church of the Nazarene, Osaka, Japan.





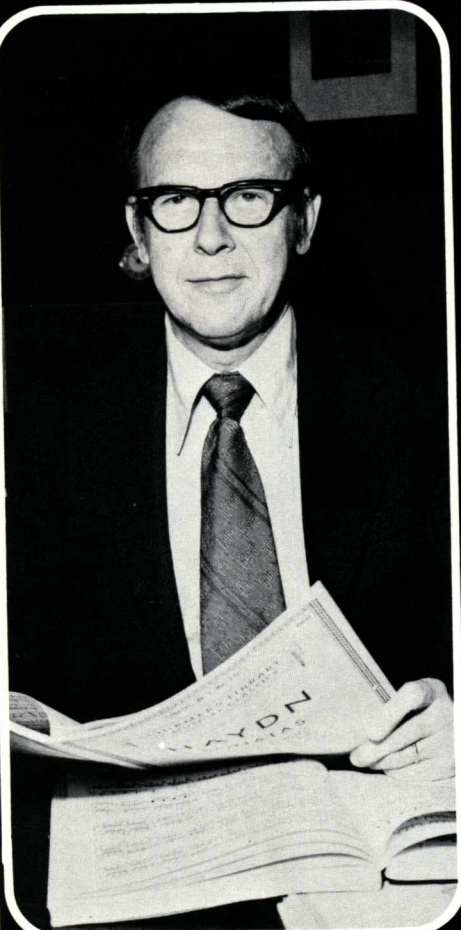
The Northwesterns is an ensemble singing group composed of approximately 16 members. They put on two major concerts each year, a Christmas Concert and a Spring Concert. This year the spring concert, "It's a Grand Night for Singing" featured selections from Fiddler on the Roof. They also perform in many churches, chapel services, and banquets. This year the Northwesterns went to the Orient for three weeks; going to the Philipines, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Osaka and Tokyo, Japan, and ending in Honolulu, Hawaii. They performed in churches, the City Concert Series in Hong Kong, and at Military Bases.

Personnel

Lea Bateman
Mark Bodenstab
Cheryl Coulter
Jacque Dinnel
Karla Gray
Joe Hand

Russ Hansen
Ron Hawk
Rick Hieb
Mary Lindblom
Royce Mitchell
Nikki Moritz
Steve Peterson

Kurt Reimer
Cindy Toland
Ron Wilde
Mike Wilkes
Janelle Woodroof





Lab Band Presents Two Concerts

Lab Band is a jazz band composed of Saxophones, Trombones, Trumpets, Horn, Piano, Drums, and Bass Guitar. They put on two major concerts during the year, a Winter Concert, and a Spring Concert. They perform contemporary and jazz music. They are directed by Dr. Jim Willis.

Personnel

Saxes

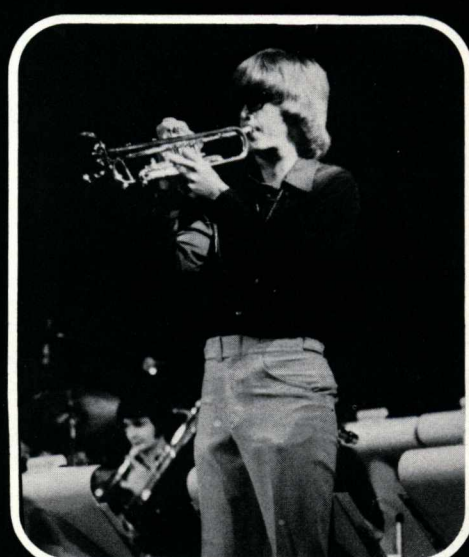
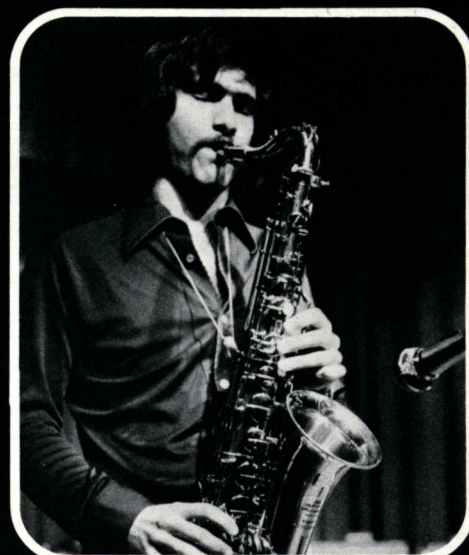
Stan Rodes
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Chuck Woodworth
Denise Angier
Raven Reed
Piano
Vic Odelberg

Trombones

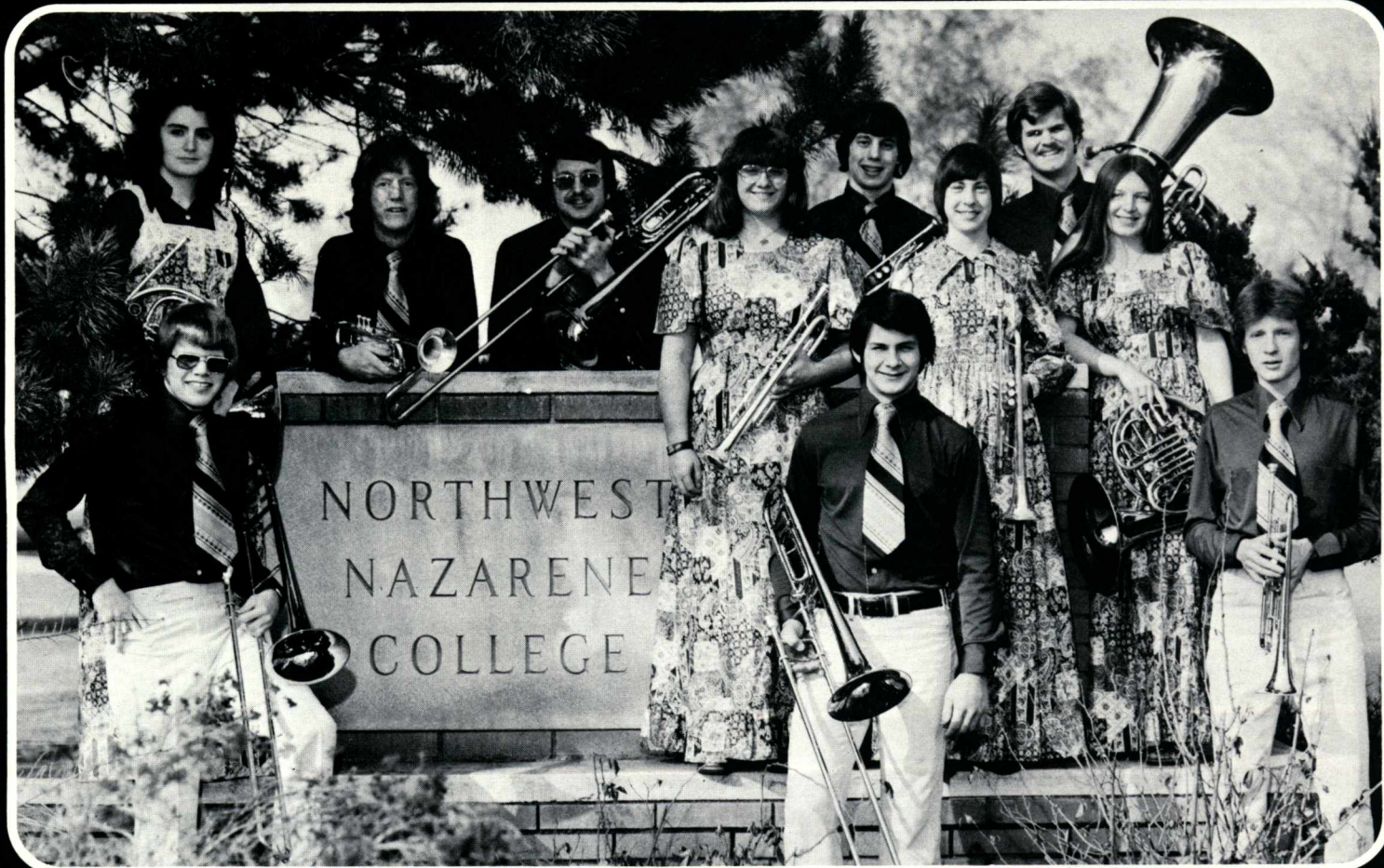
Bob Diehm
Terry Bullock
Bill Keene
Dick Huling
Harry Carson
Trumpets
Vickie Bowles
John Rapp
Keith Horwood

Joe McMahan
Leon Kalbfleisch
Tom Diffie
Drums
Matt Summers
Ron Diffie
Bass
Gary Stueckle
Guitar
Rick Larrabee





Brass Ensemble



Vickie Bowles, Terry Bullock, Harry Carson, Keith Horwood, Mike Huckabee, George Turner (Faculty), Bill Keene, Sheryl Newbury, Vik Odelberg, Sue Thompson, Judy Wathen, Dr. Jim Willis, Director.



Concert Band

Consort



Brass Ensemble is a small group of brass instruments directed by Dr. Jim Willis. They have presented one concert, played in several Chapel services, and went on tour during Easter vacation. Concert Band presented a concert last fall, and the Consort assisted the String Ensemble (picture not available) in a concert last winter. Men's Chorus, directed by Dr. Marvin Stallcop, assisted College Choir in their Spring Concert, and have sang in several Chapel services.

These musical groups add a great deal to our musical program.



Men's Choir

Summer Ministries

Day Spring



Mary Lindblom, Cheryl Coulter, Lea Bateman, Ruthie Kollars.



Royce Mitchell, Steve Guy, John Curty, Joe Hand.

Faith-Freedom Quartet

Kingsmen Quartet



Joel Pearsall, Lennie Spooner, Vic Odelberg, Paul Bentley, Larry Morris.

Student Mission Corps



SMC is a program sponsored by the General Church of the Nazarene which sends several students into the mission field for six weeks to help those full time missionaries already there. There are six from NNC participating:

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|----------------|-----------------------|
| Bryan Williams | South Africa |
| Jamey Sturmer | New Zealand and Samoa |
| Marvin Peters | Bolivia |
| Jane Ono | Uruguay |
| Steve Rudeen | Panama |
| Ric Johnson | |
| (not pictured) | Guyana |

The General Missionary Society of NNC is sent 17 to Washington, D.C. to help Tom Neese and the Community of Hope renovate an old apartment building. Those who went were: Wes Baldassare, Dave Carrell, Melody Clapp, Ken Courtney, Joleen Fauth, Priscilla Higley, Butch Johnson, Jeff Lenker, Kathy Nada, Sherri Roark, Paula Rogers, Walt Tracy, Donna Trueax, Glaenda Wardlaw, Cherie Weatherford, Avalon Williamson, Russ Yuly.



GMS Team

Special Music: Student Recitals

A highlight of this year were the many excellent recitals by our students. There were many recitals and they were all well done. There was also a wide variety, ranging from a voice recital by Carlton Harvey to a clarinet recital by Chuck Woodworth to piano recitals by Walden Hughes and Monica Hoyle. These recitals were definitely a fine addition to our list of activities.

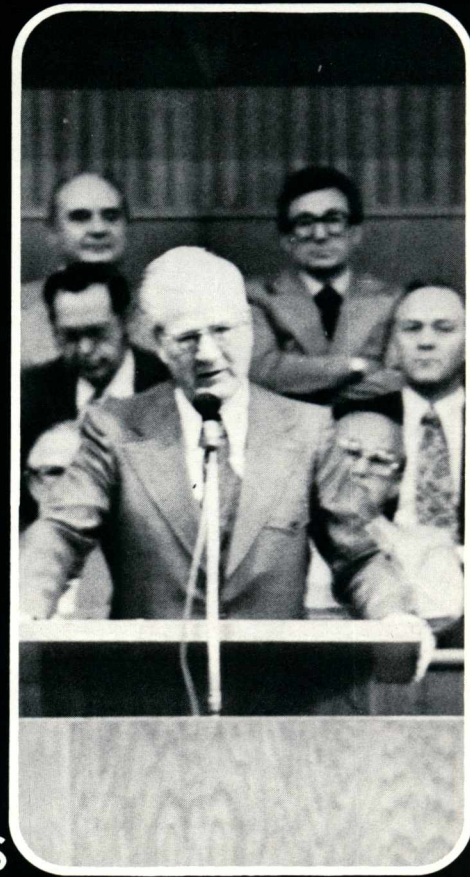




"Love Is Where You Find It" — Reader's Theatre

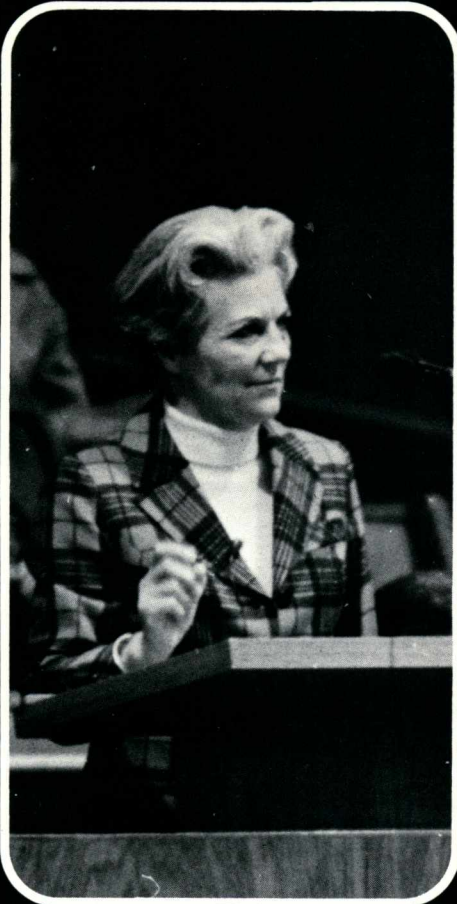
"Love Is Where You Find It" was the name of the program Reader's Theatre put on February 10 at 8:00 pm in the Science Lecture Hall. This program, in honor of the upcoming Valentine's Day, featured material from Shakespeare to Ogden Nash. It was a very pleasurable evening.



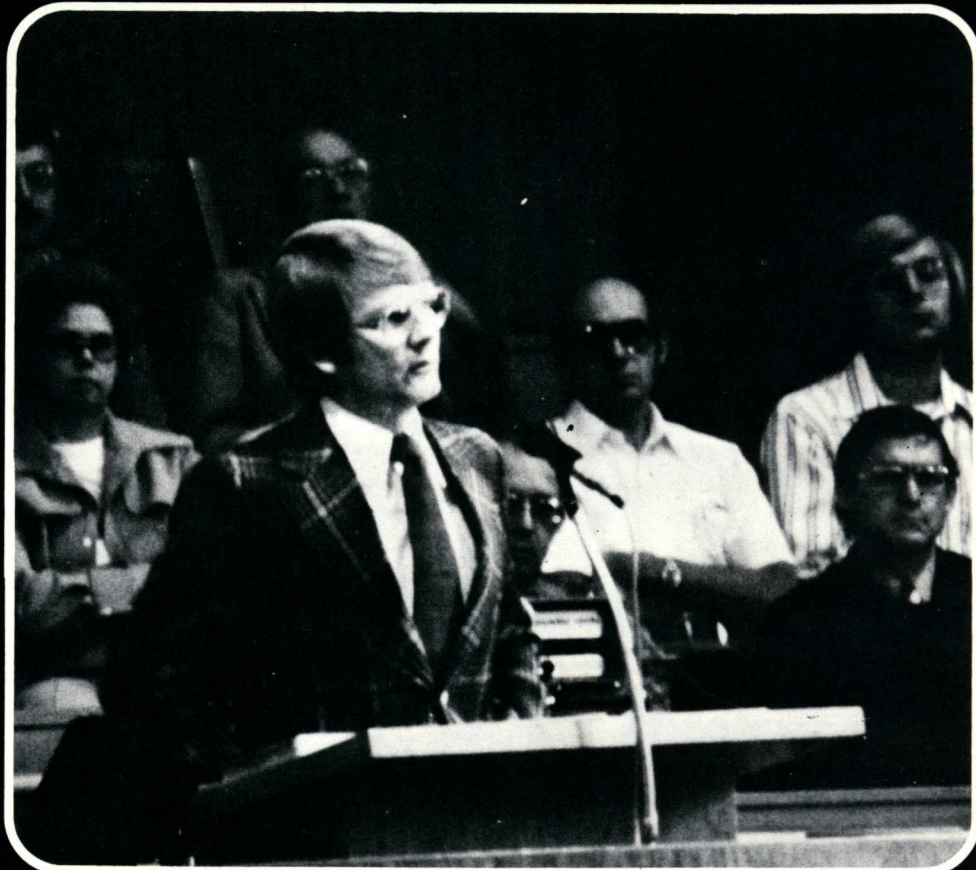


Dr. Ross Price;
Heritage Day Chapel

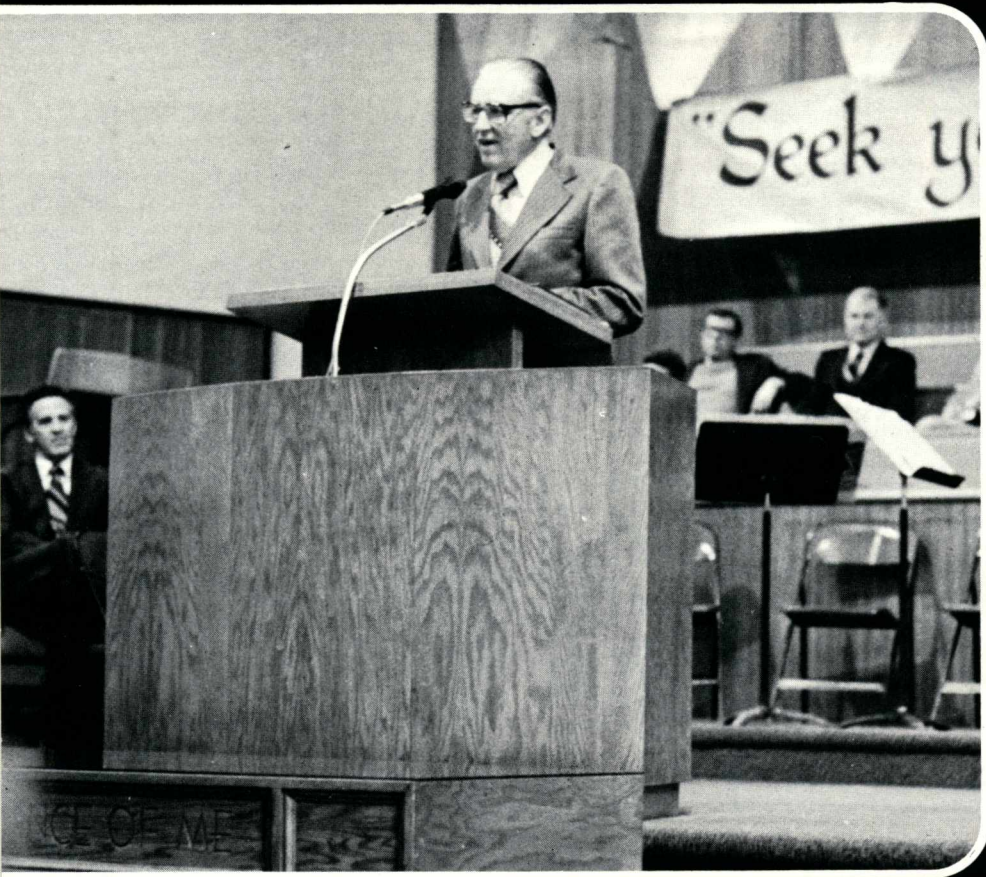
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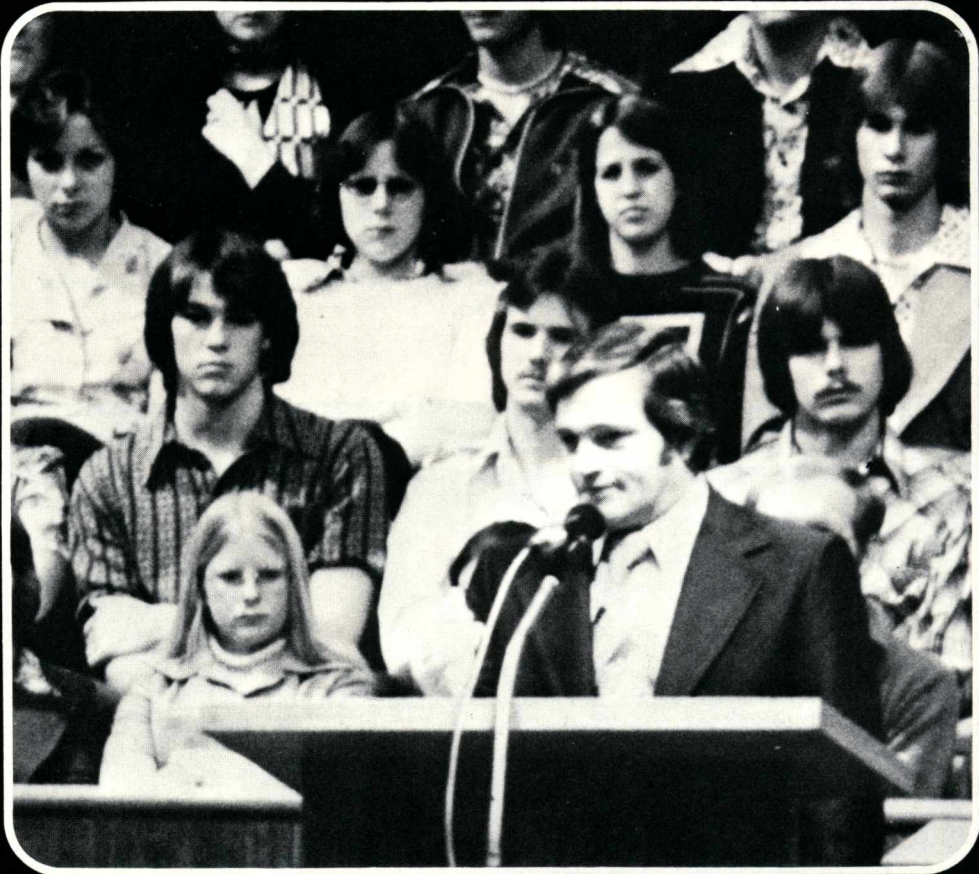
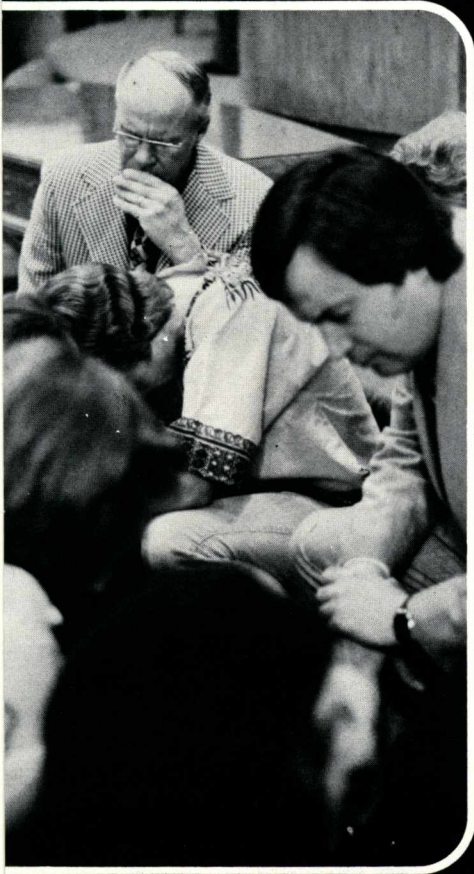
Maria Anne Hirschmann,
"Hansi"



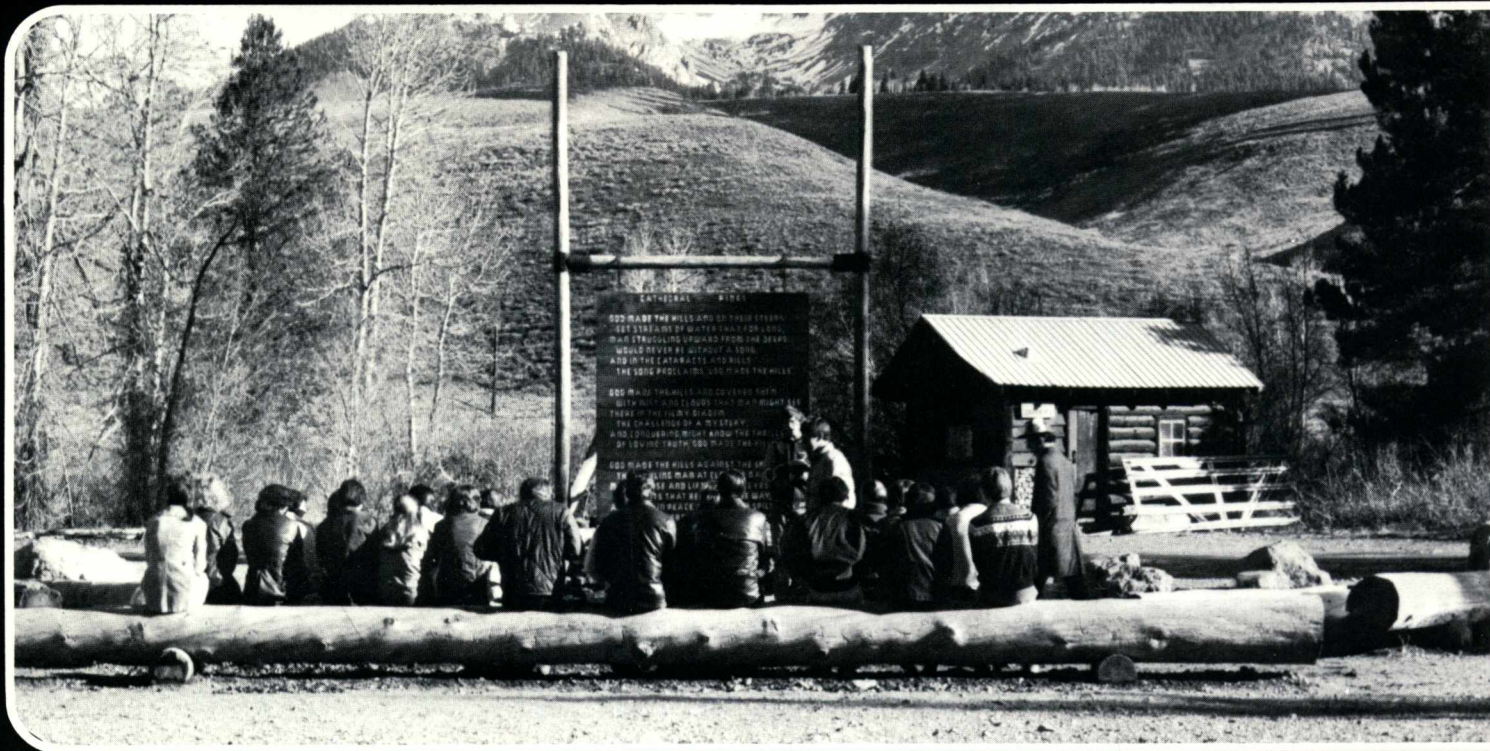
Tom Neese



W. T. Purkiser, Spiritual Life Week

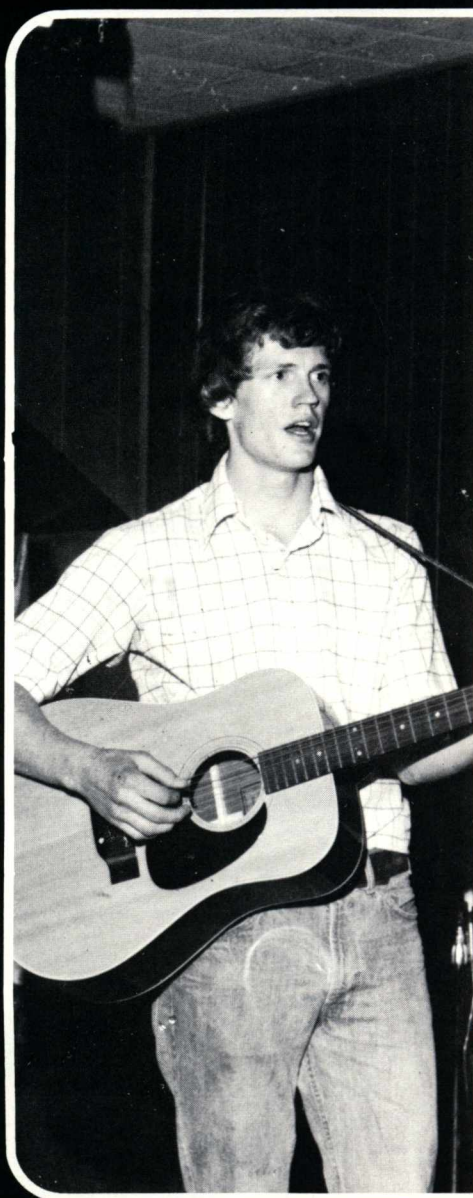


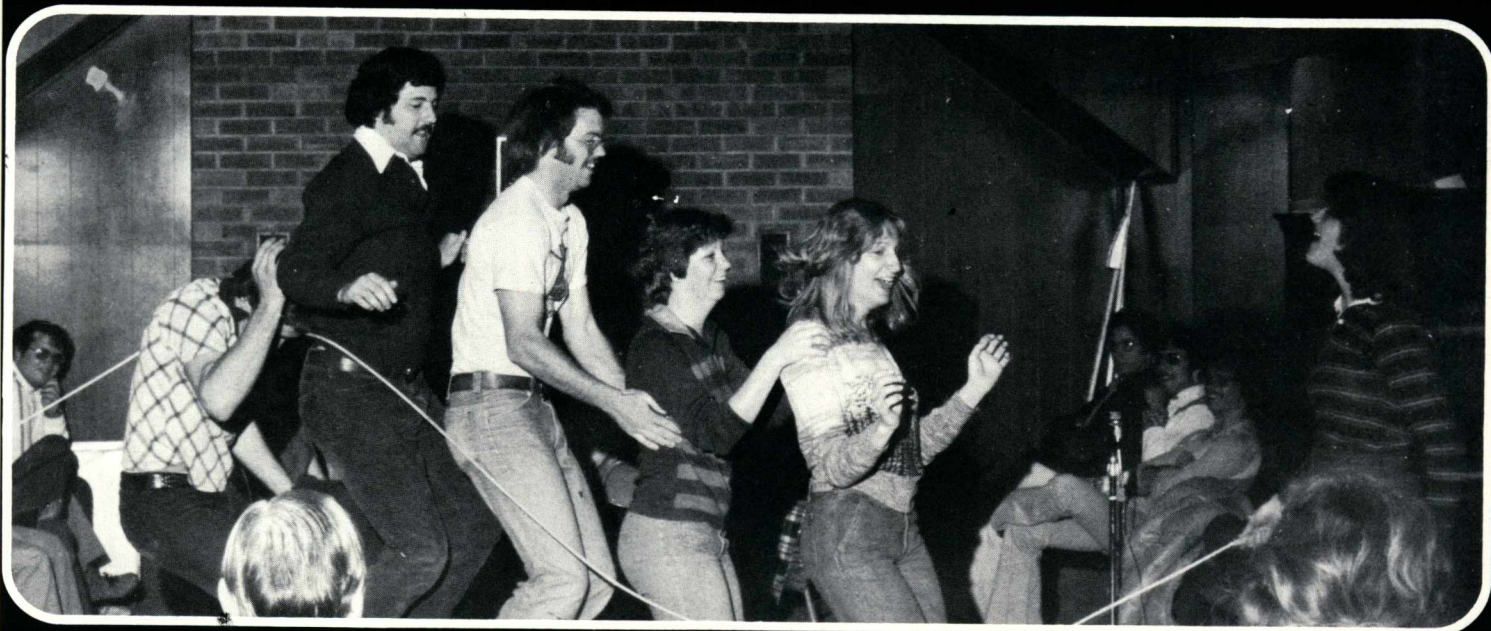
Harmon Schelzenbach, Mangum Missionary Lecture Series



Junior-Senior Retreat Spent in Mountains Over Easter

Junior-Senior Retreat, April 8-11, was held in a camp 14 miles above Sun Valley, Idaho. This retreat was meant as a time of relaxation and reflection before the big rush the last month of school for the Seniors. It proved to be just that, except for some time taken out to put out a range fire, with Dr. Morris Weigelt speaking to us on Christian living. It was an enjoyable time for the more than 100 Juniors and Seniors who attended. The Juniors did a very fine job putting together this retreat, with a special thanks going to Robin Bellamy and Bill Powers.



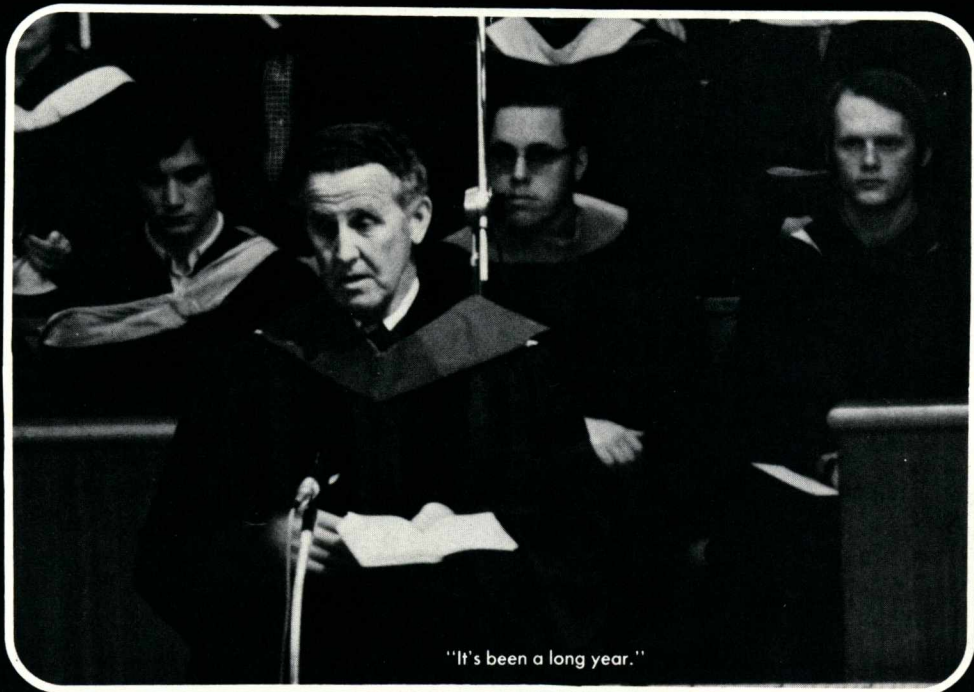




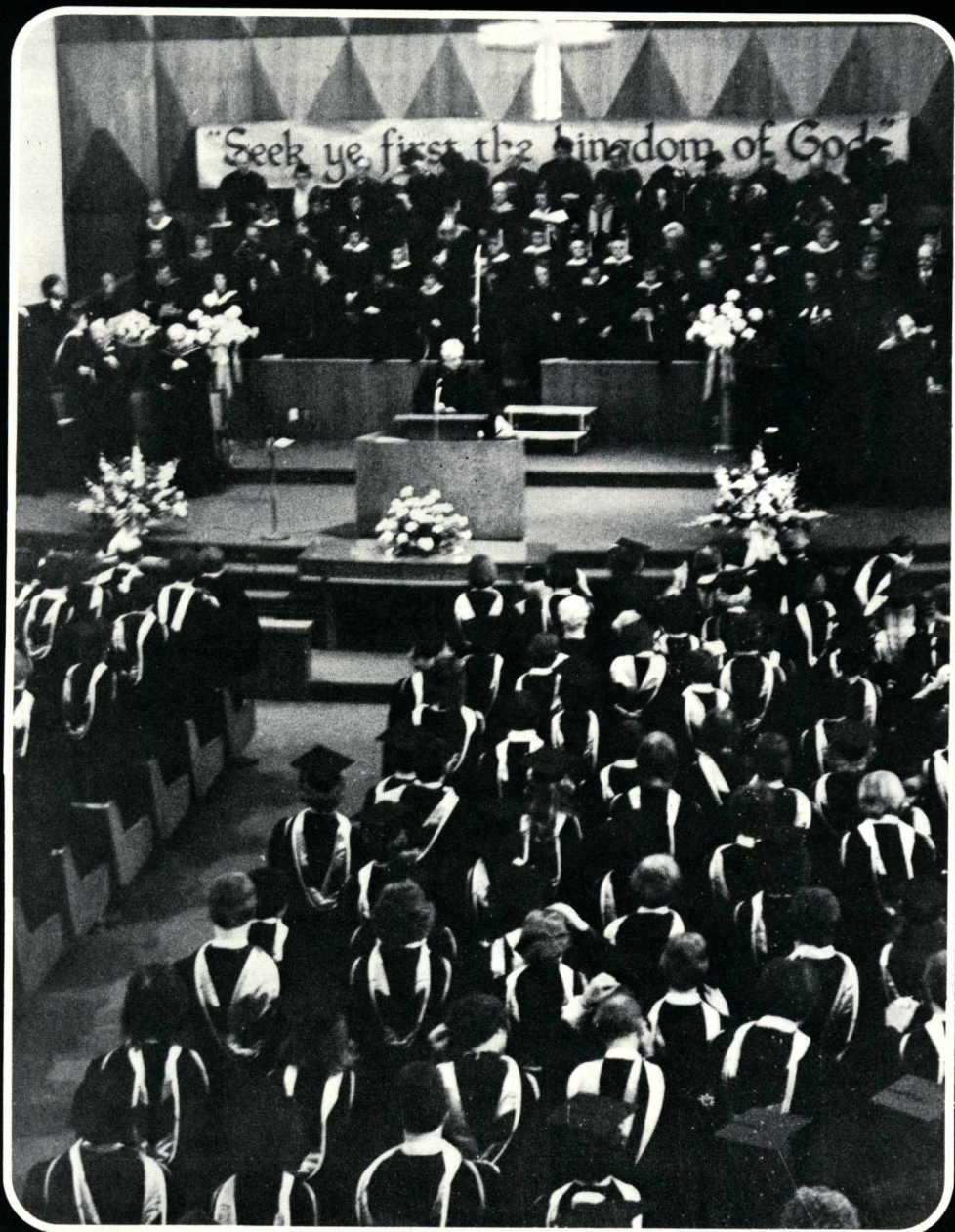
Graduation Banquet

The Graduation Banquet was held May 14 in the Saga Dining Room. Roast Beef and Chicken were the main courses for over 650 people. Dr. Joseph Mayfield was the speaker for the evening.

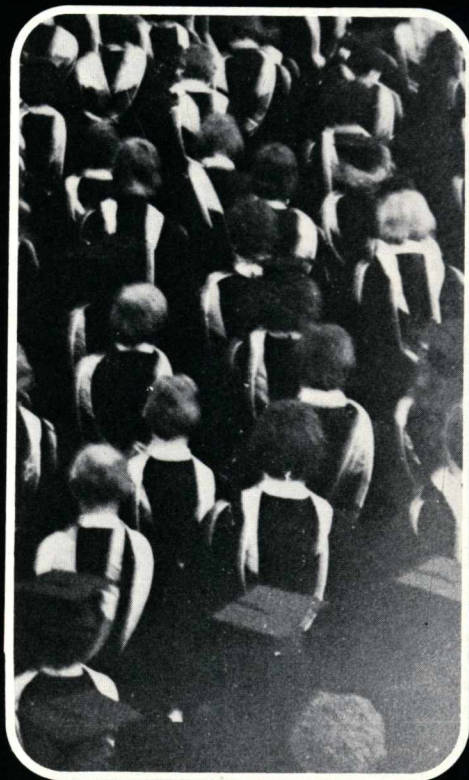


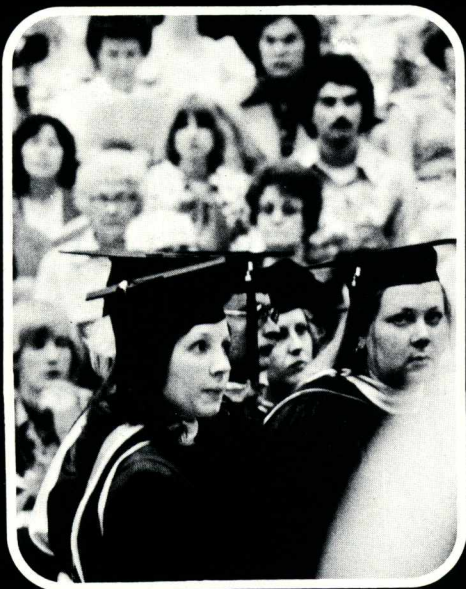
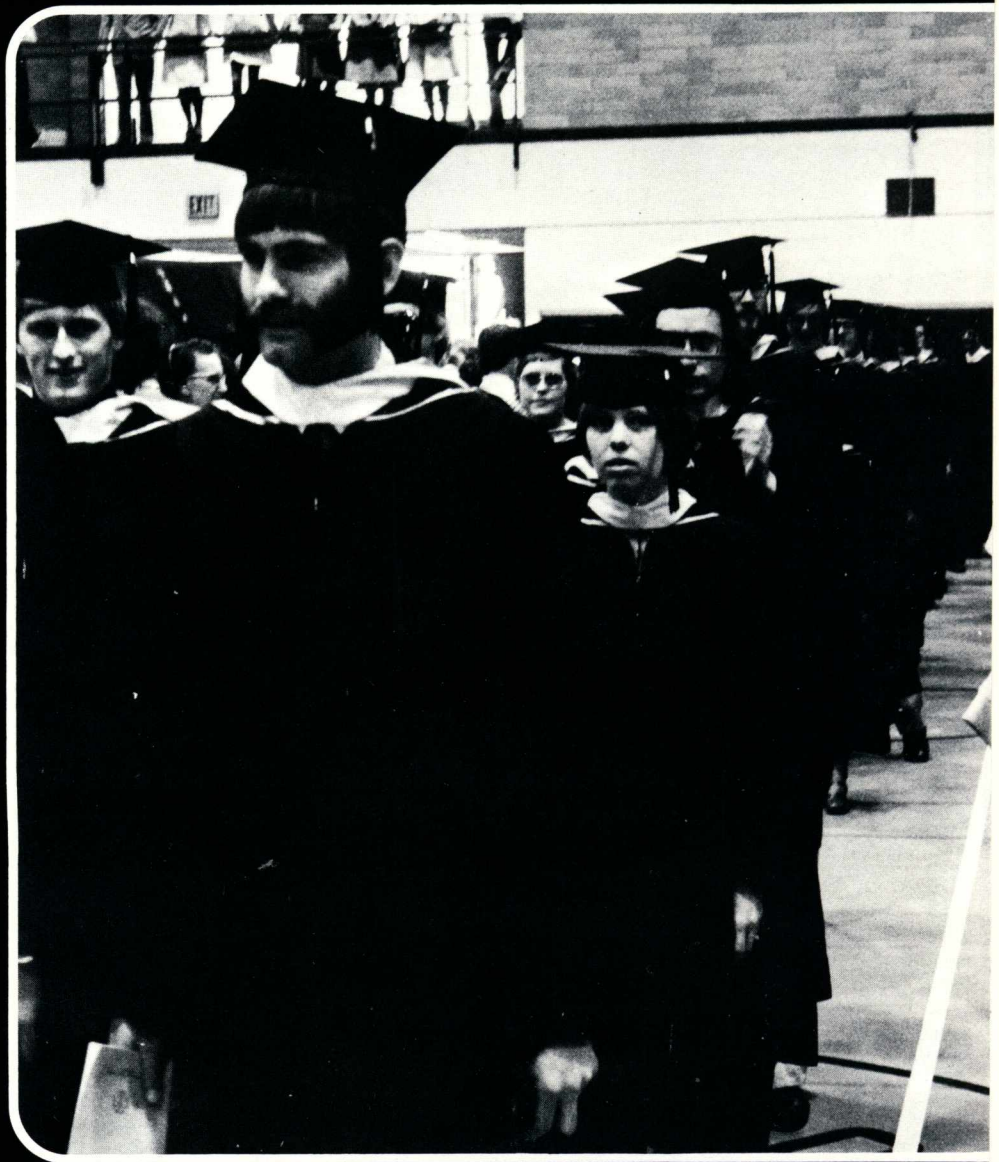


"It's been a long year."



Baccalaureate

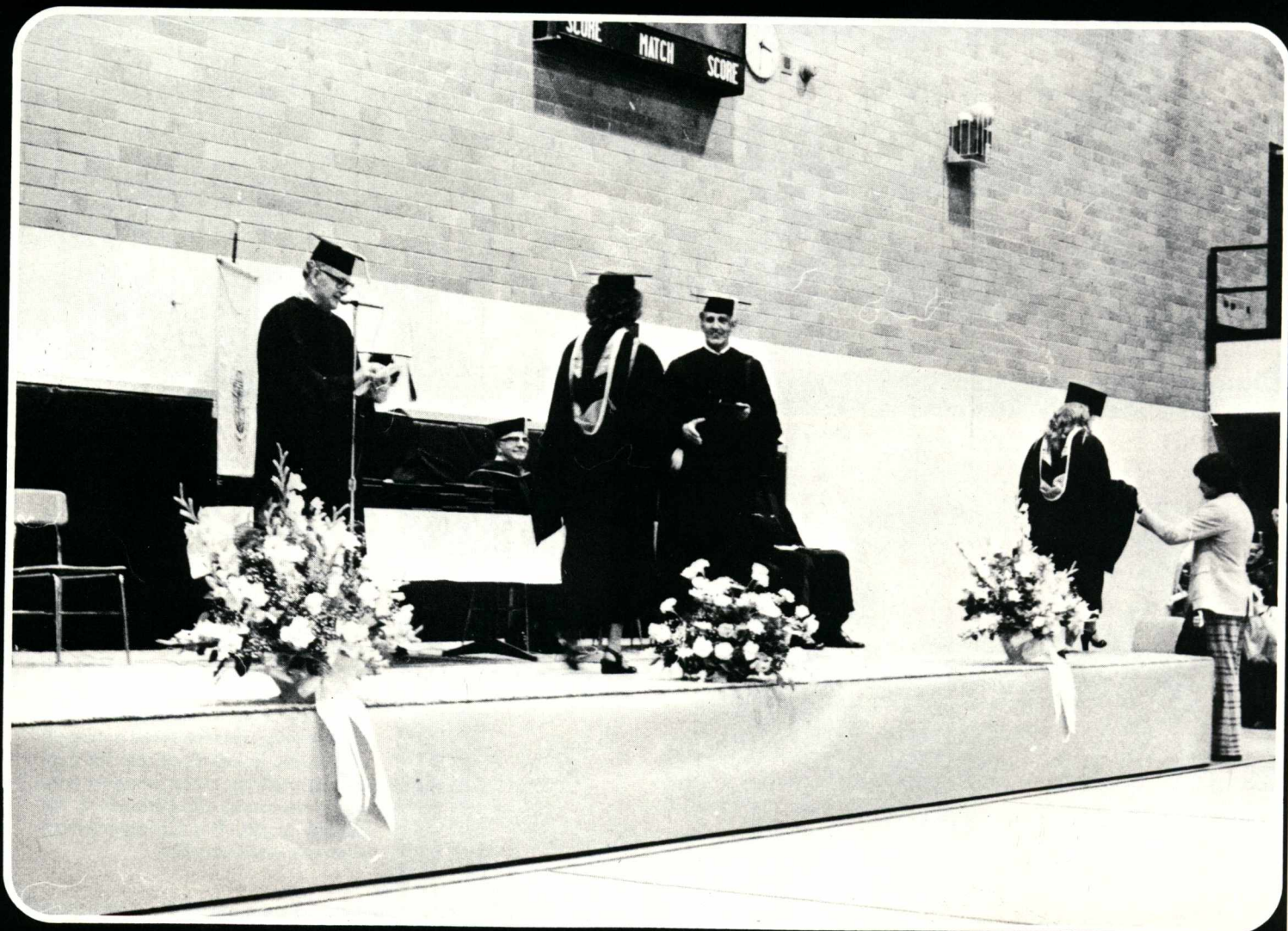
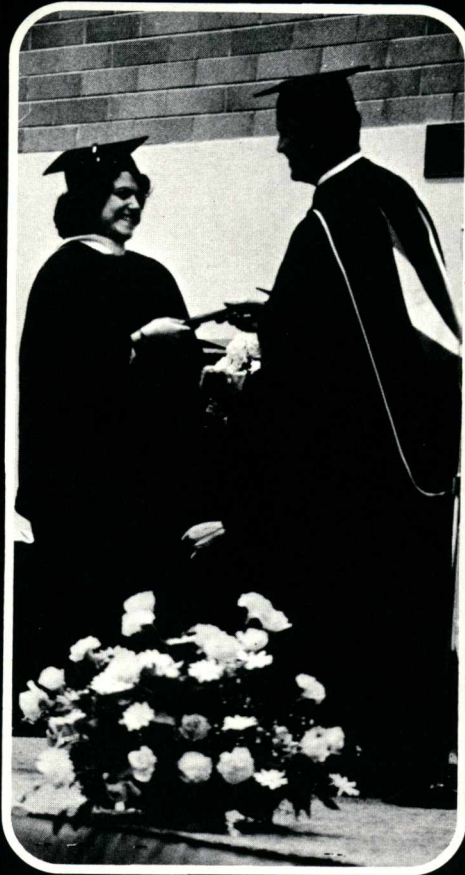


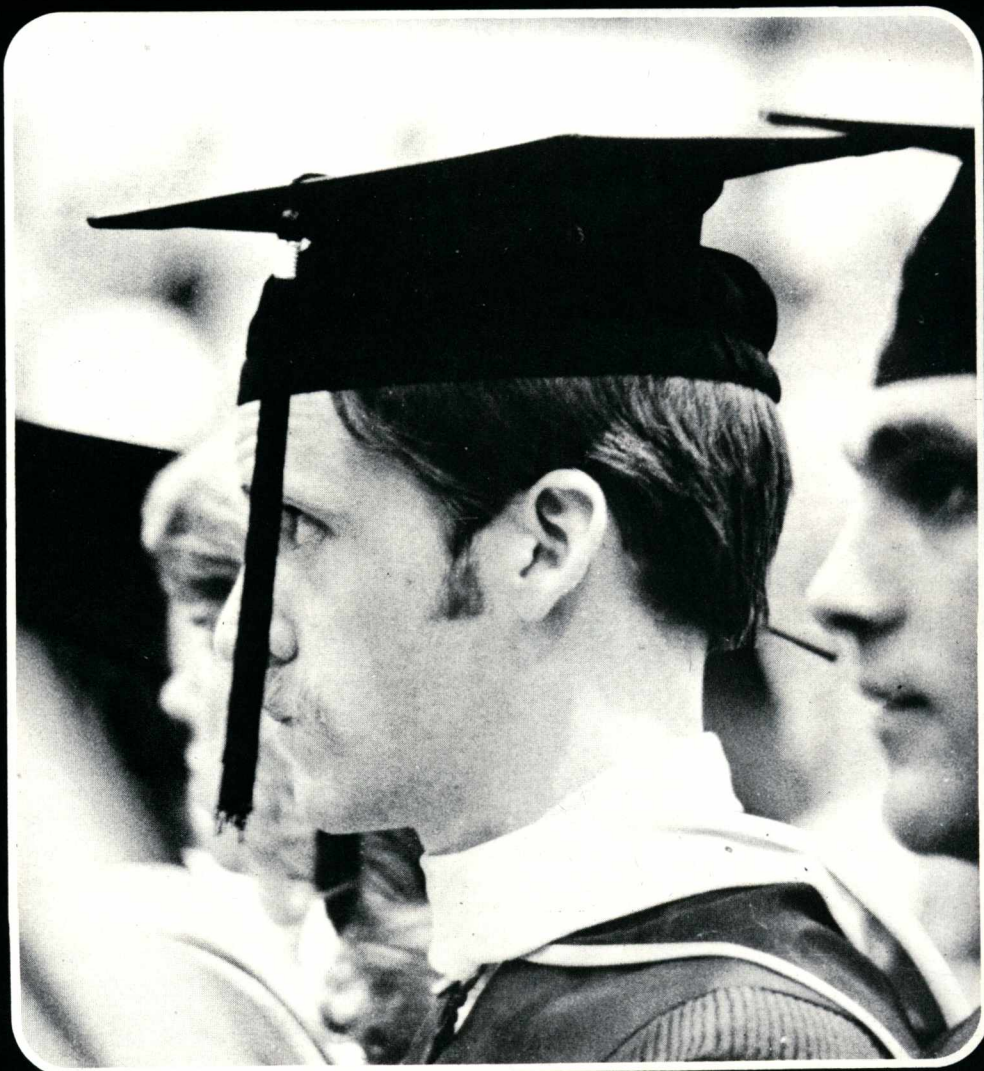


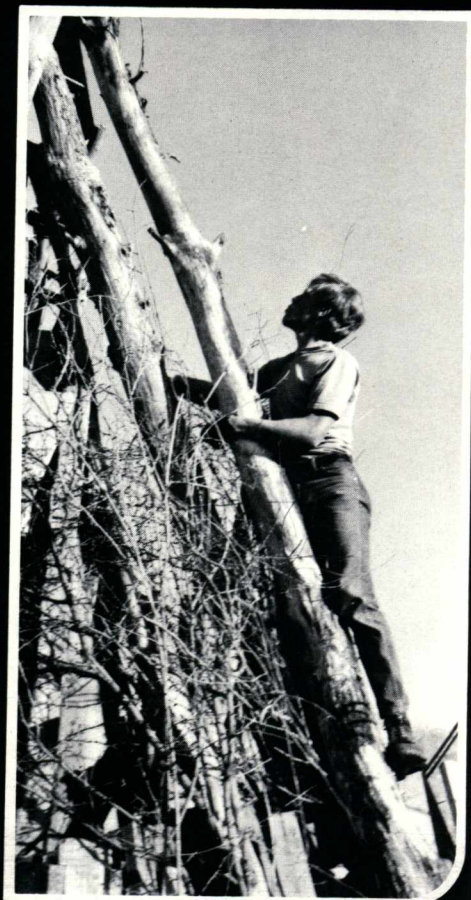
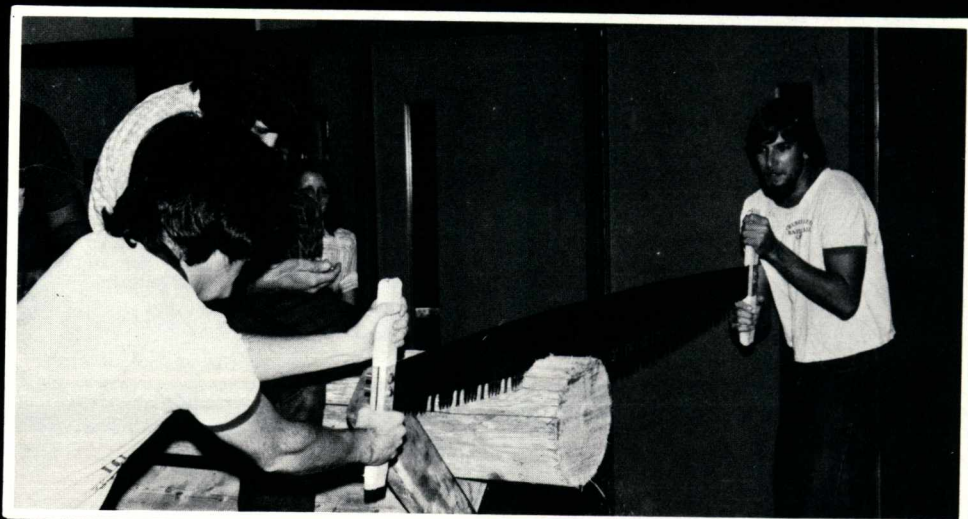
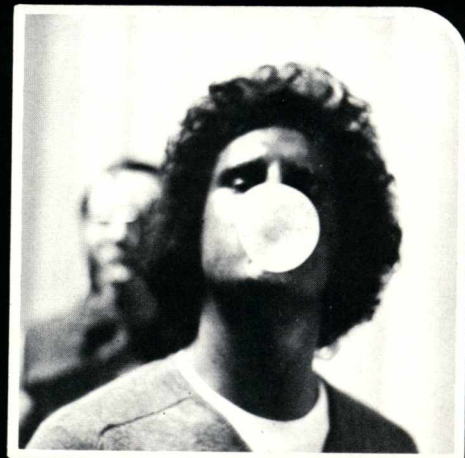


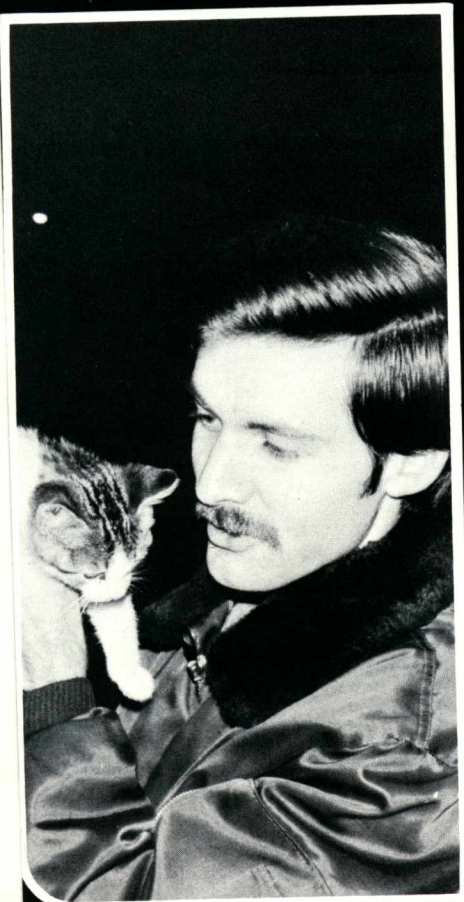
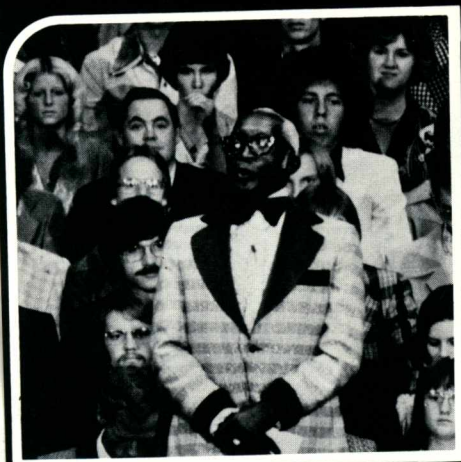
Commencement 1977

Baccalaureate and Commencement 1977 were on May 15 at 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., respectively. Dr. Kenneth Pearsall spoke in College Church for Baccalaureate. At 3:00 the Seniors became graduates as they walked across the platform, shook Dr. Pearsall's hand, and received their diploma. Crusader Choir sang, and Dr. Percival Wesche and Dr. Joseph Mayfield received honorary citations as they are retiring this year. This time was a mixture of extreme joy and sadness for Seniors as well as other students who would be losing good friends to the outside world. The Commencement exercises were very fine.









So ends another year of our lives as students. Pictured in this section are just some of the things that made our year, as students, more exciting and interesting. It was a good year.

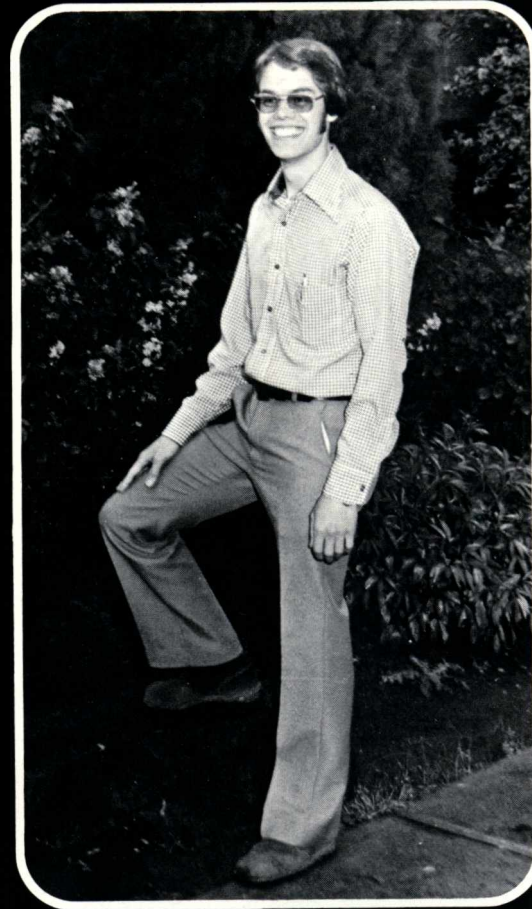






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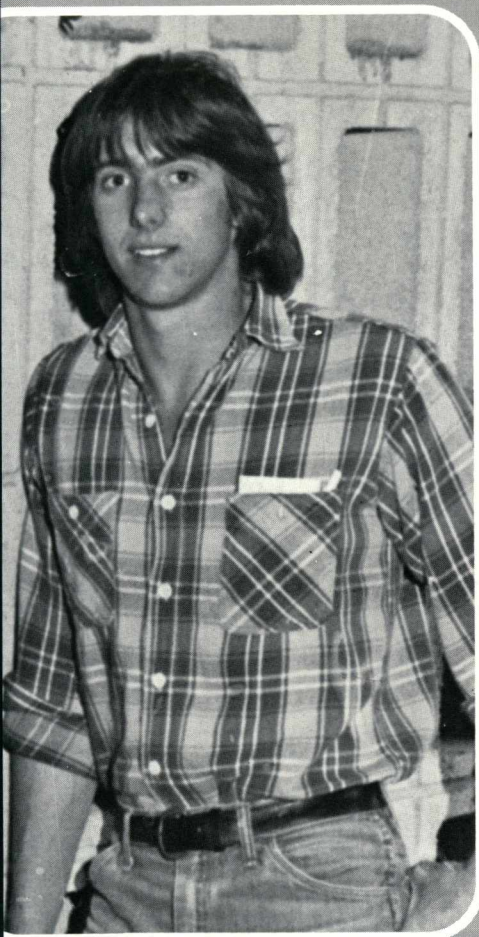
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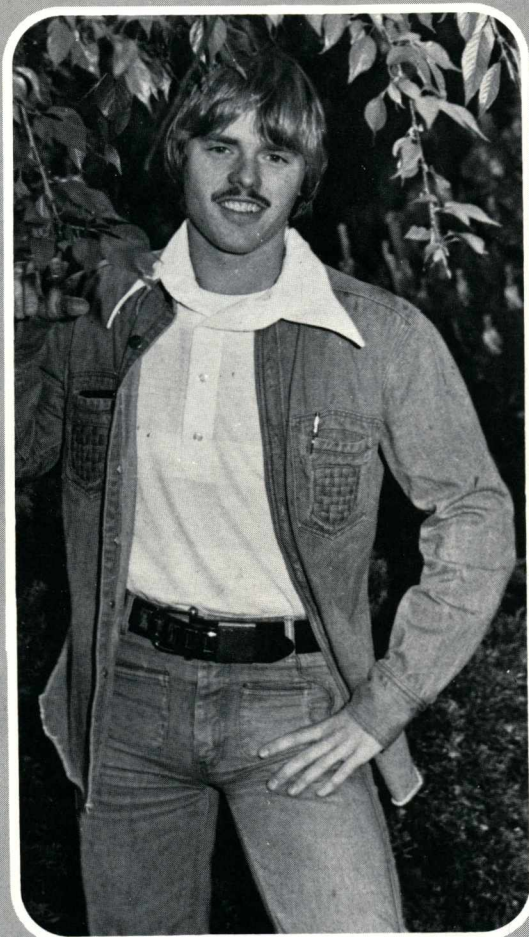
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Rick Edwards — Executive Vice-President



Steve Guy — Social Vice-President

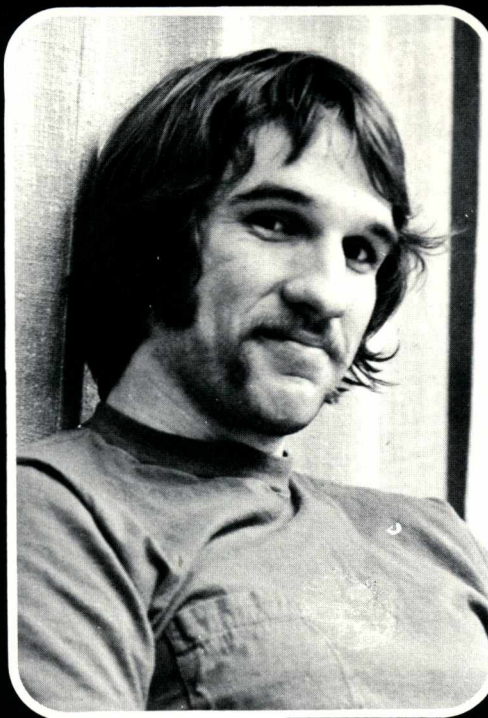


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Robin Merrick — Secretary

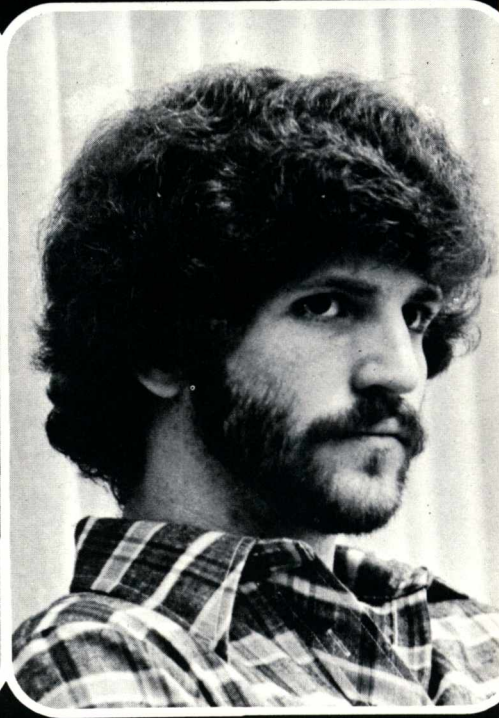




Scott Bartlow, Senior



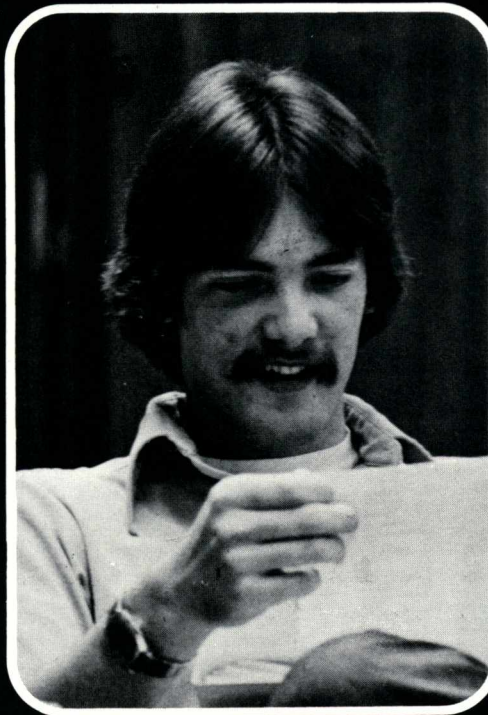
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Doug Slaymaker, Senior

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George Beals, Junior

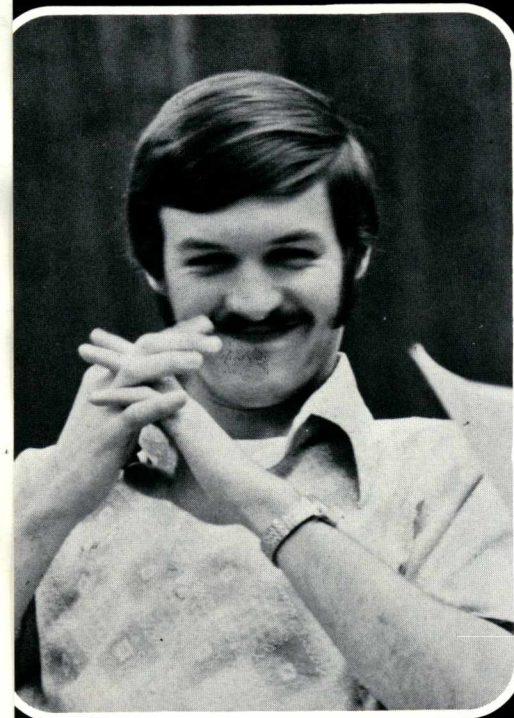


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Dennis Beebe, Junior

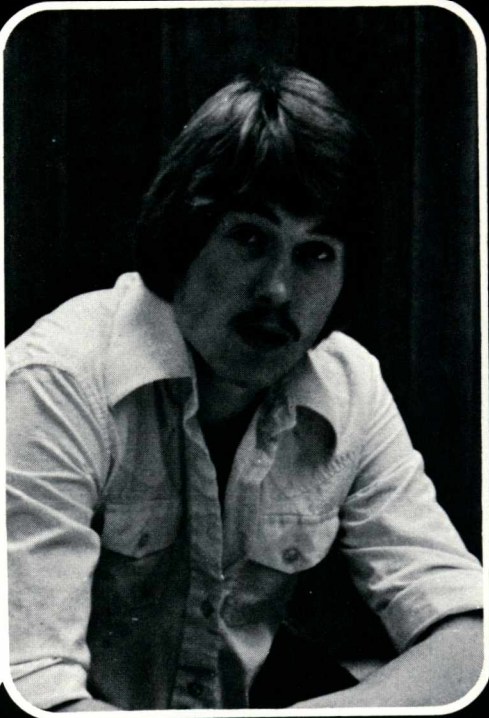




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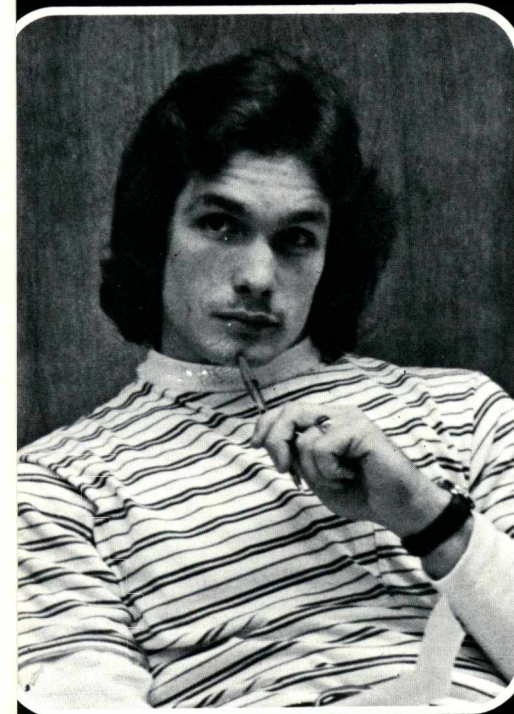
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Larry Wood, Sophomore

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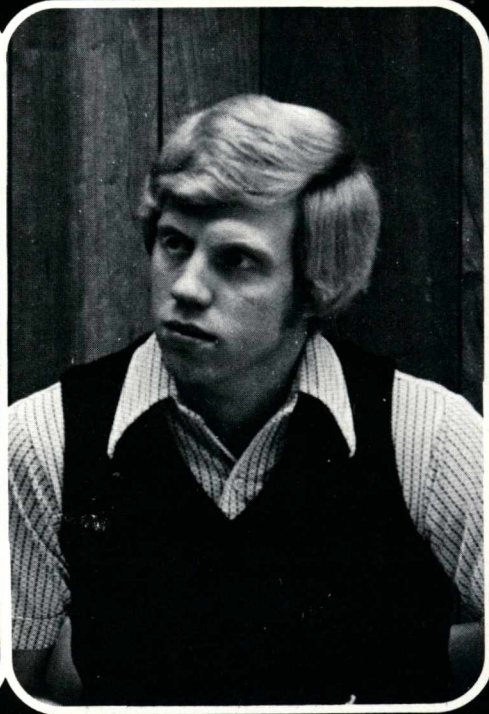
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Jayne Johnson, Freshman



Mike Robinson, Freshman



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Model United Nations



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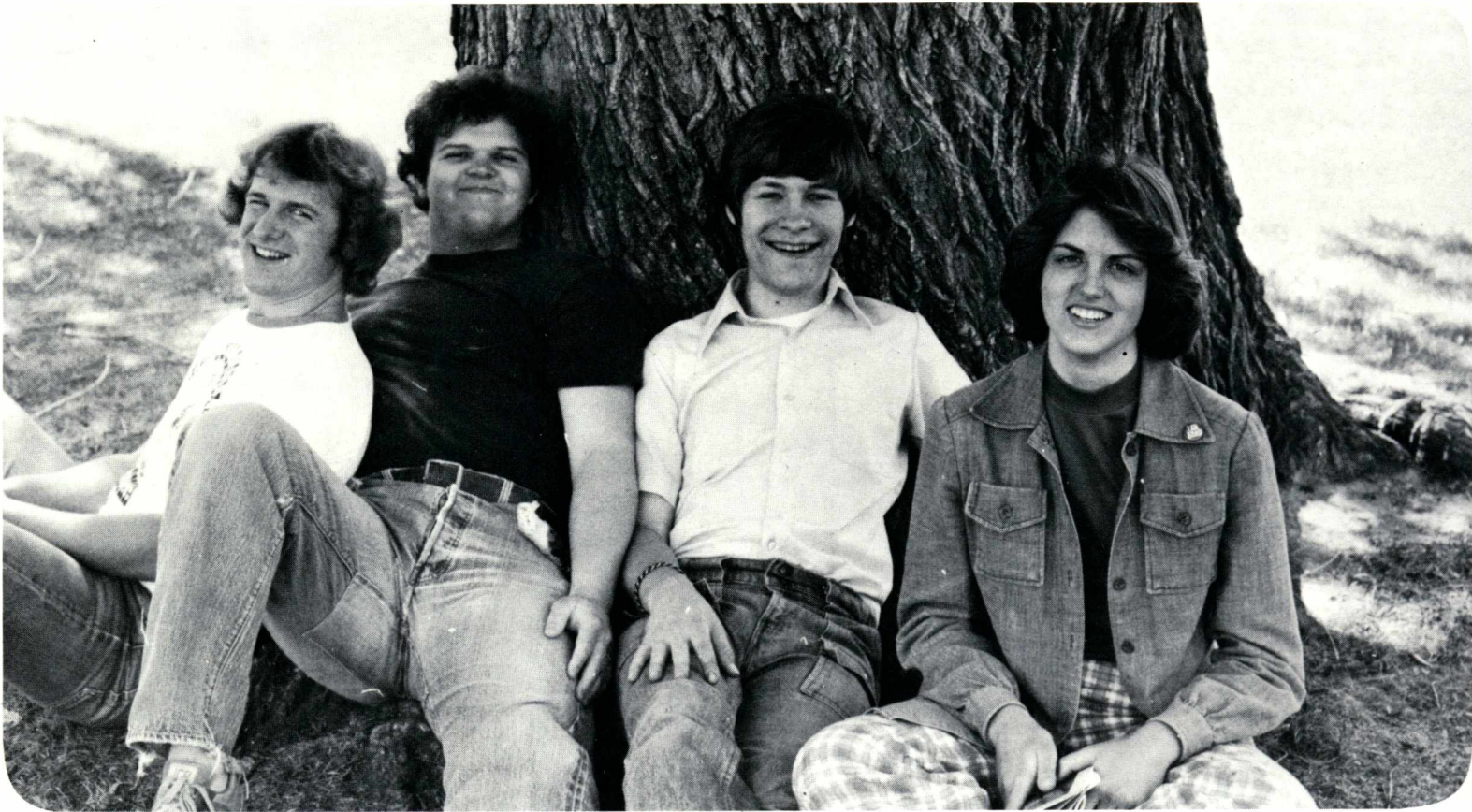
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Scriblerus



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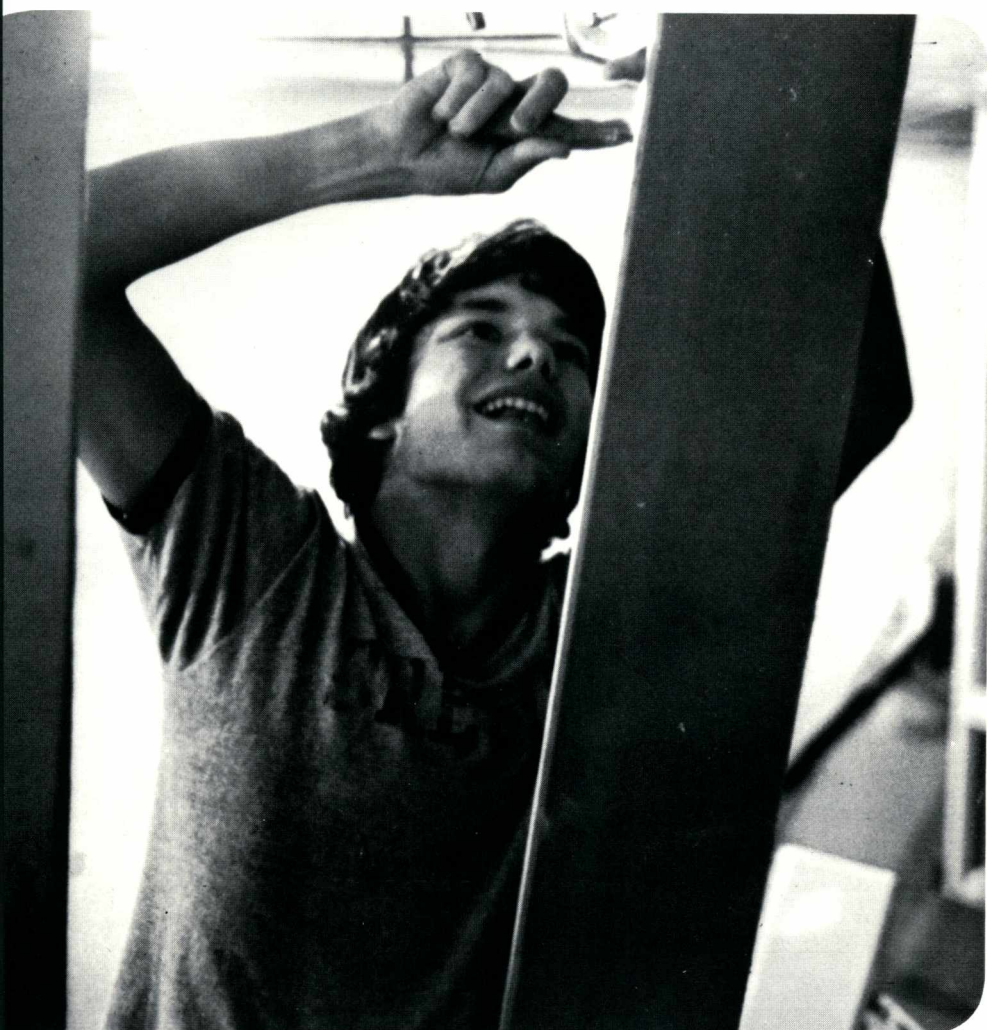
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General Missionary Society

Dave Carroll
President

Circle K



CIRCLE K — Phil Altmeyer, Mark Eldridge, Chuck Neubauer, Steve Strickler, Brant Bartlow, Steve Woodworth, Scott Bartlow, Paul Panther, Loren Burnett, Sam Hunter, Gordon Balfour, Bruce Wasson, Gary Seward, Scott Freeby, Steve Guy, Dennis Trepanier, Dave Manley, Greg Bullock, Mark Bodensstab, Bill Cleveland, Ken Ross, Mike Wilkes.

Social Work Club



SOCIAL WORK CLUB — Ken Spurlock, Ron King, Carolyn Buckley, Paula Rogers, Paula Shaw, Gene Mills, JoAnn Erickson, Steve Hauge, Mindy Youngman, Tammy Niemann, Lois Reimer, Mr. Sherrill — Advisor.

Speech



Left to right: (back row) Mrs. Thompson, Dean Cowles, Judy Walker, Jennifer Weisen, Steve Hicks, Ron Hawk, Cathy Bergstrazer, Jerry Cohagen, Larry Morris, Mr. Self. (front row) Tom Pfenninger, Loreen Flanagan, Marva Wigelt, Jamey Sturmer, Peggy Puffe, Doris Lay, Dave Carroll.

Debate



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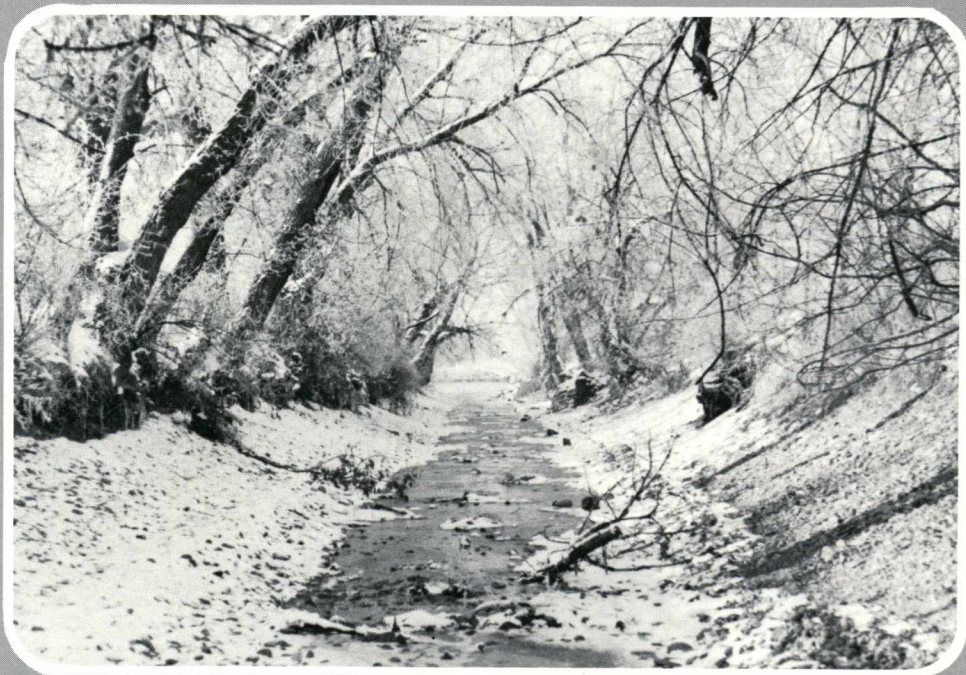


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Ski Club



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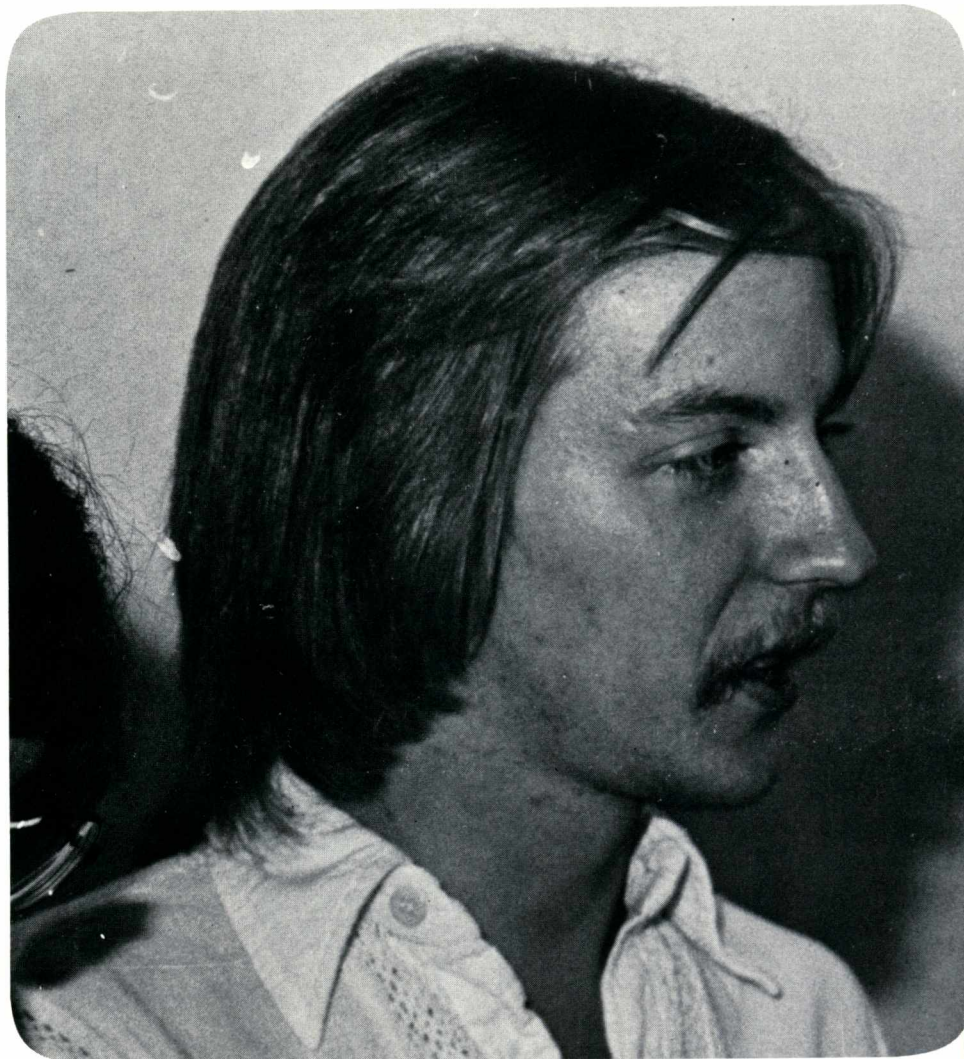
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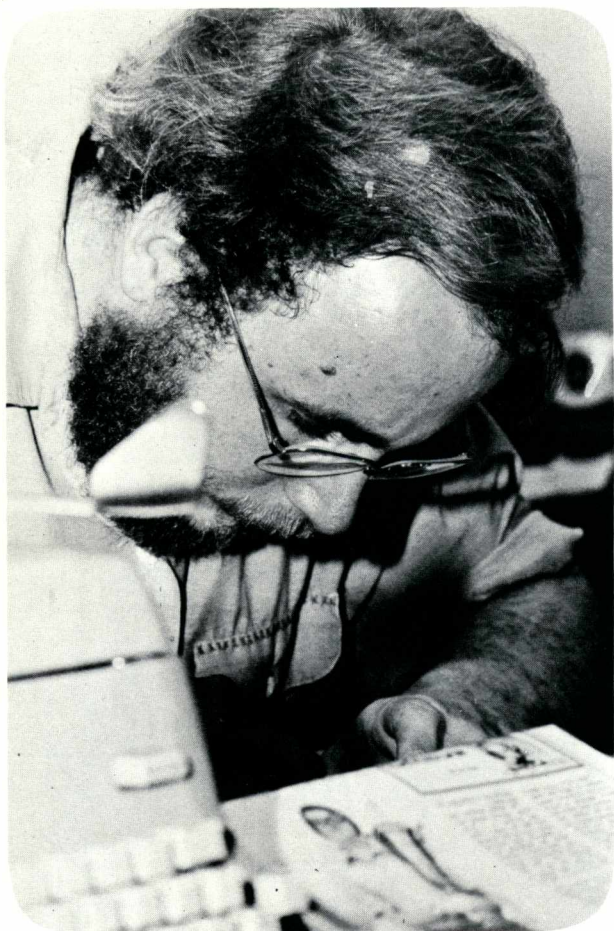
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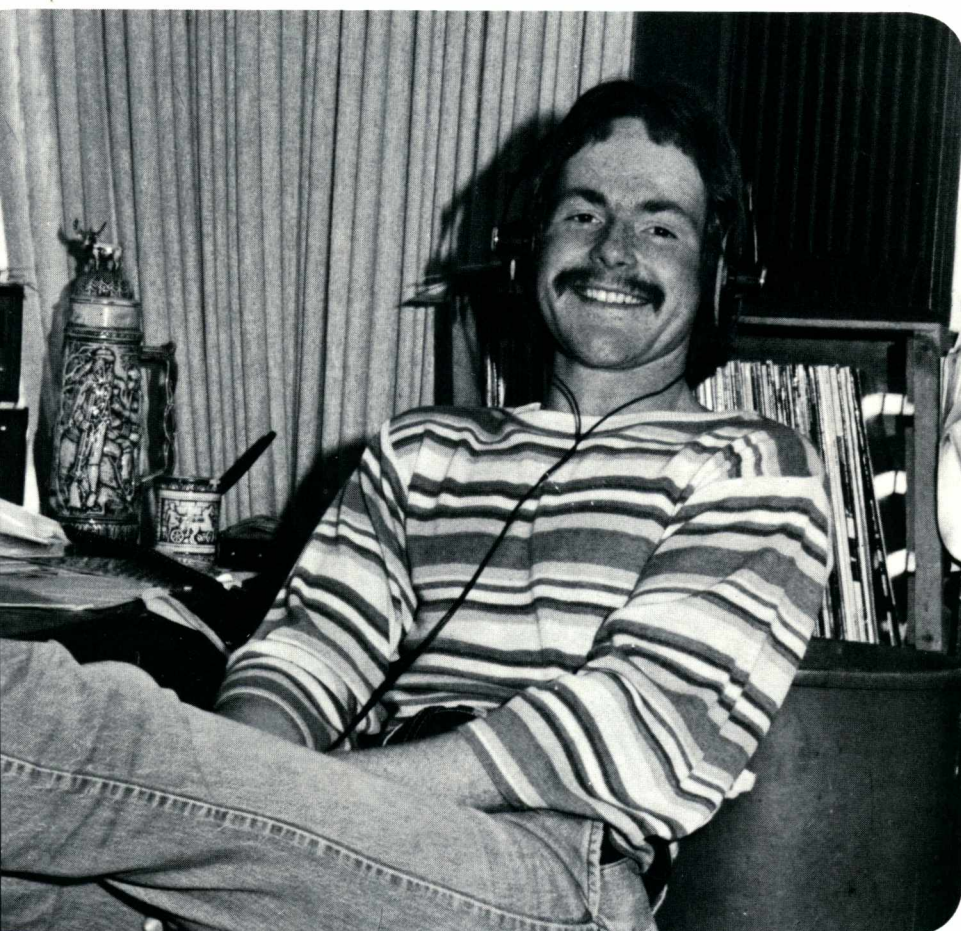
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OASIS

1976-77 has been a productive year for the Oasis staff, which consisted almost entirely of former high school editors. This year, the Oasis has shown some positive changes, such as a twenty-four page addition which includes eight extra pages of color. The goal of the Oasis staff has been to produce a book which gives a creative overview of the past year. We hope you enjoy it. The staff would also like to extend a special thanks to the contributing photographers listed below:

Jerry McGeeHee
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Campbell
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Dave Edwards

Our advisor, Dr. Paul Miller, is also deeply appreciated.



Jon Harris — Editor



Connie Sturtevant — Organizations



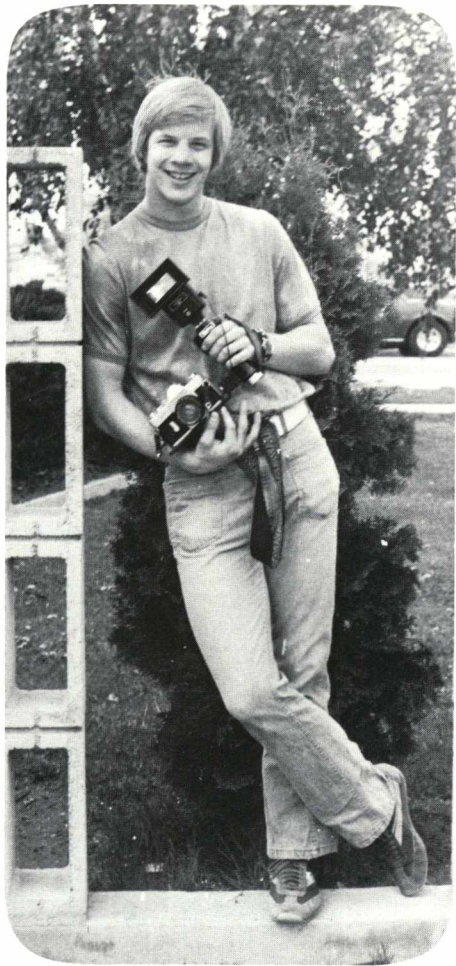
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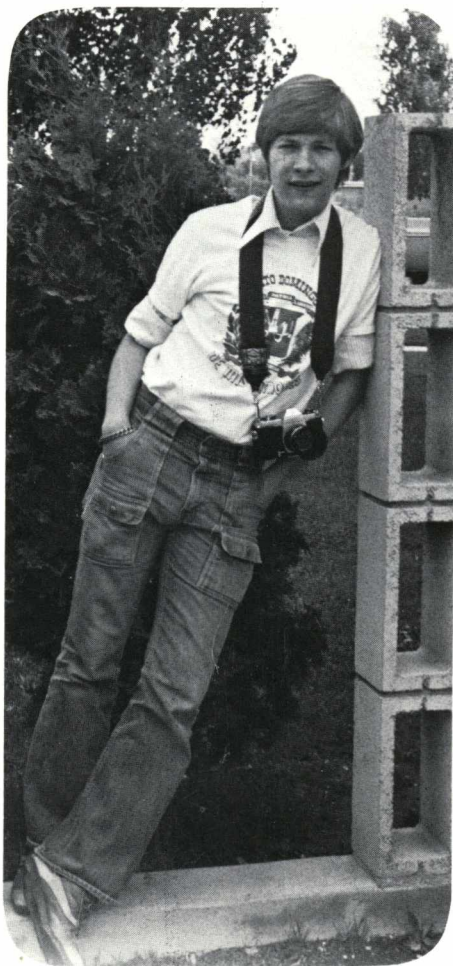
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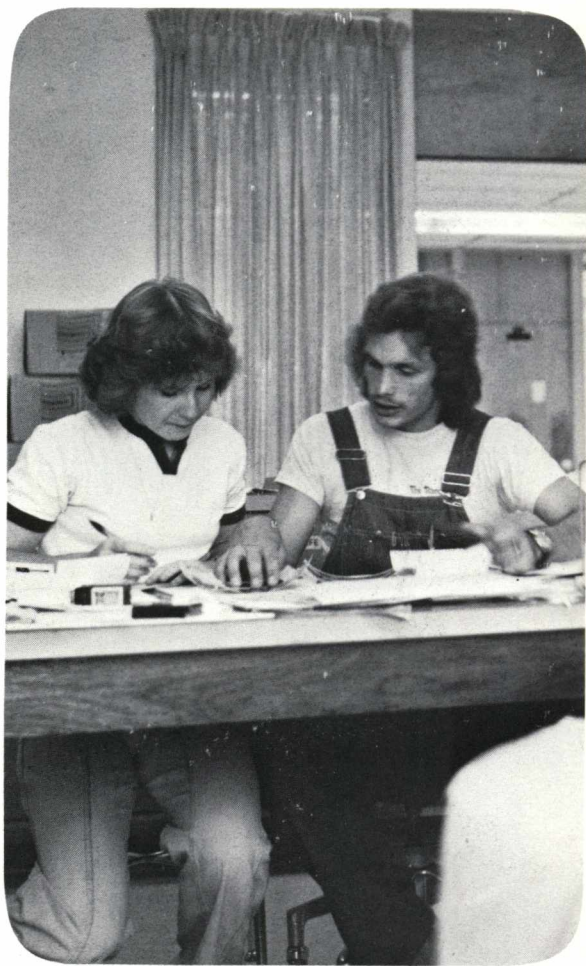
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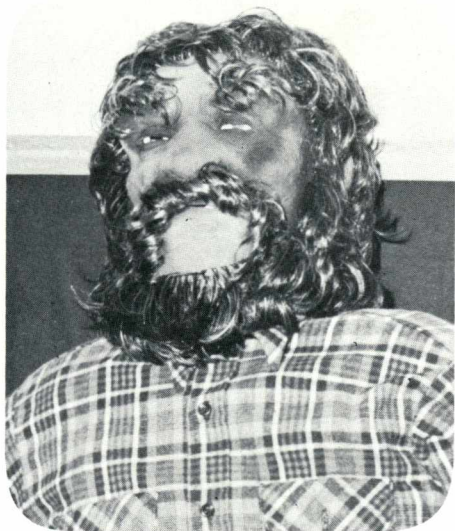


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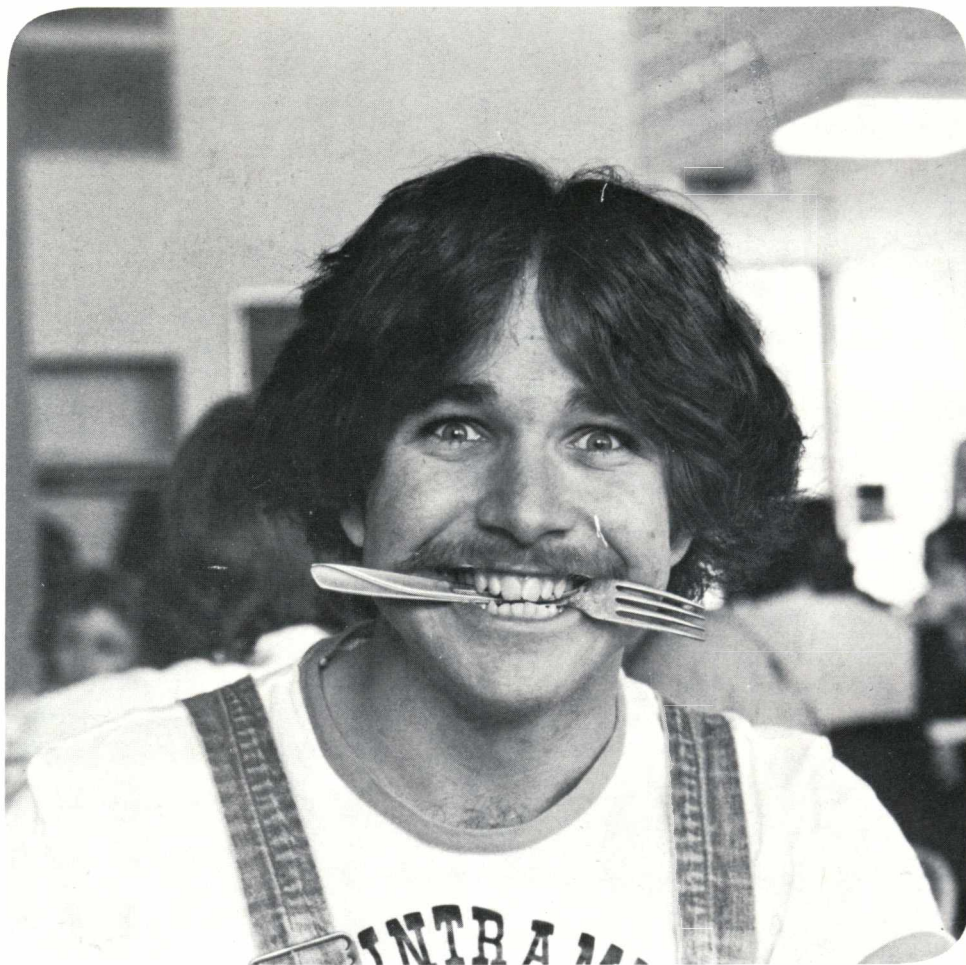
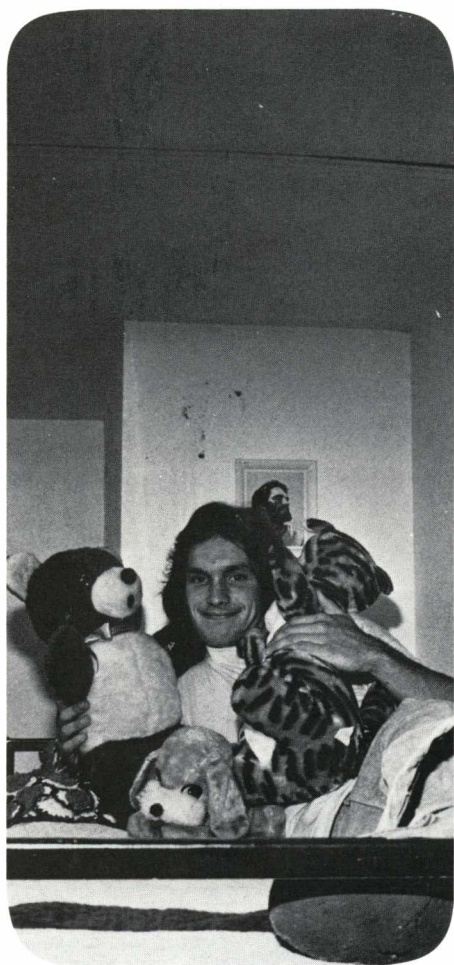
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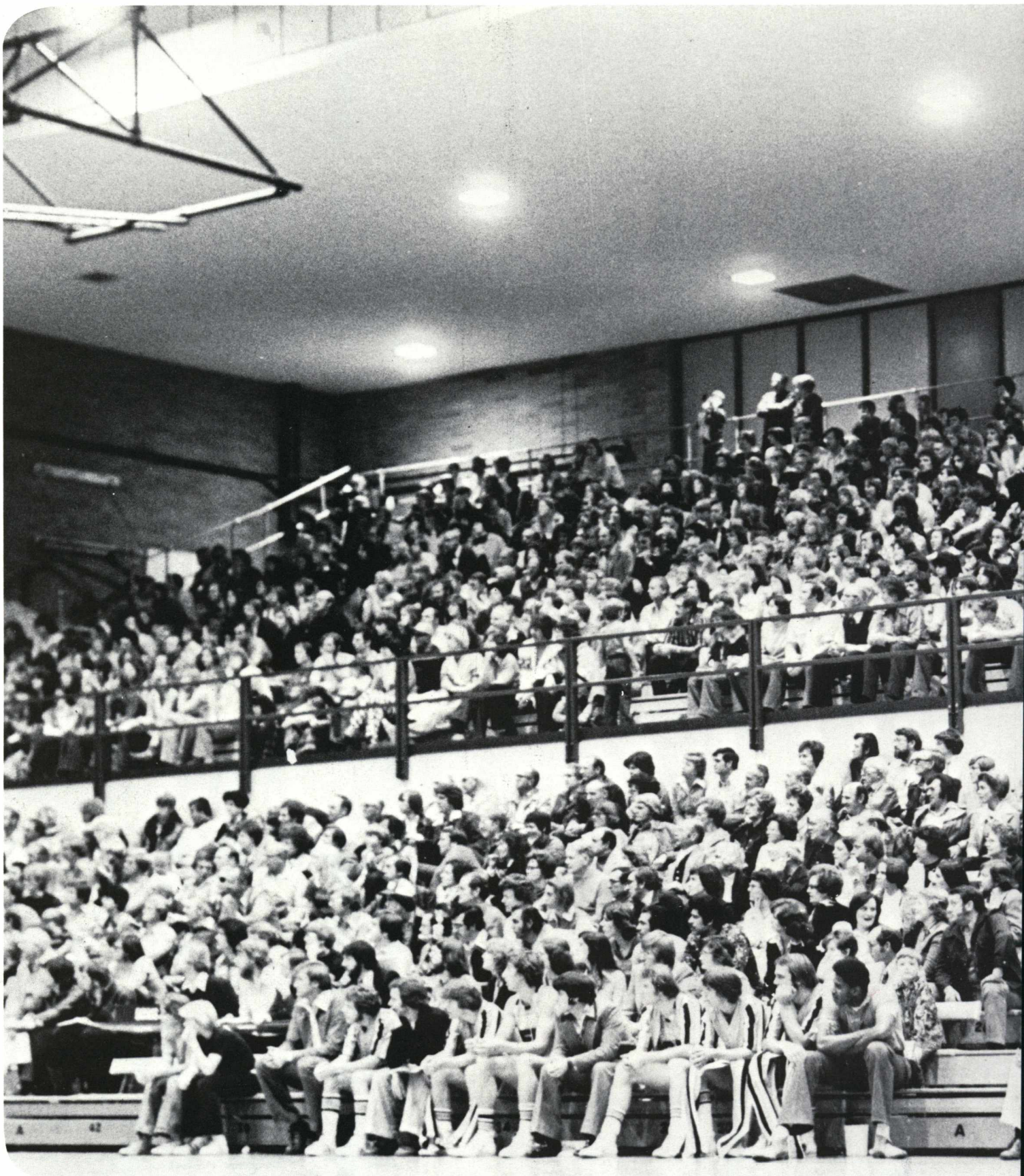








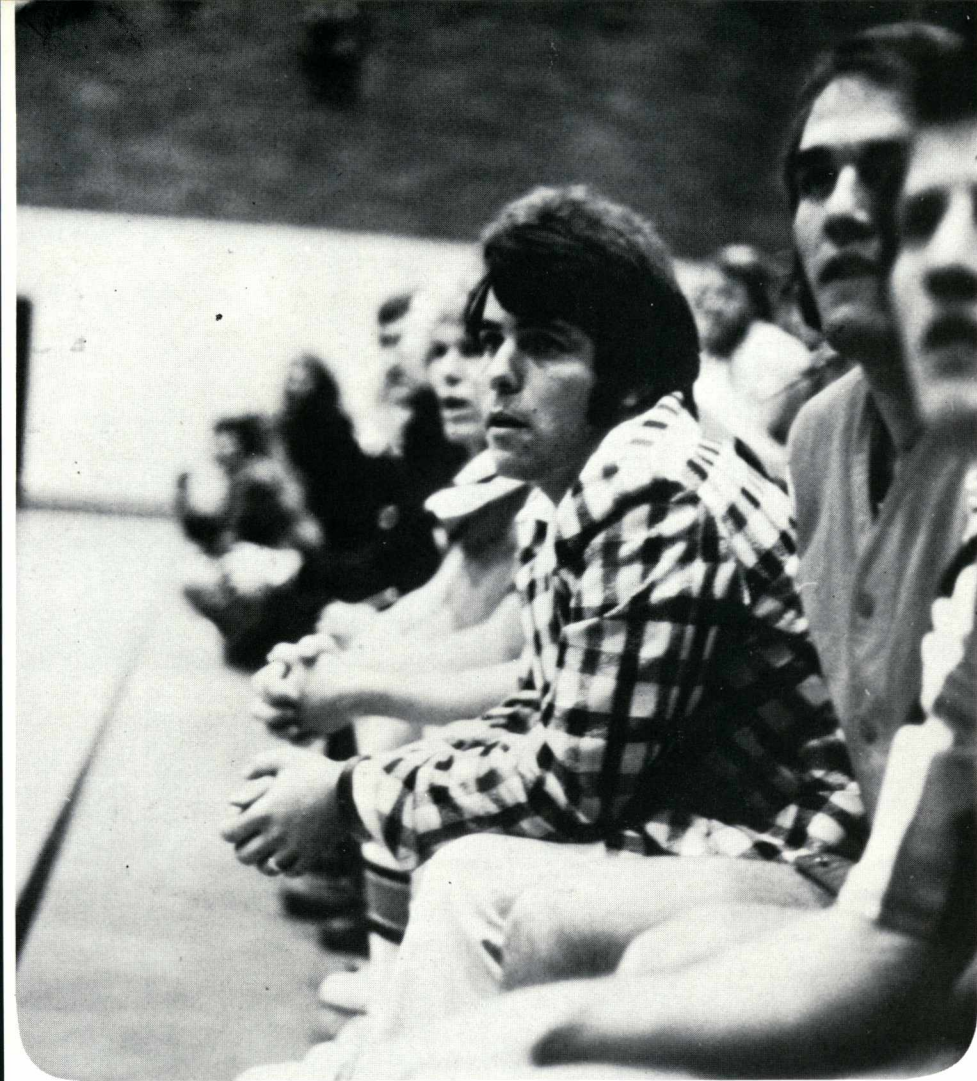






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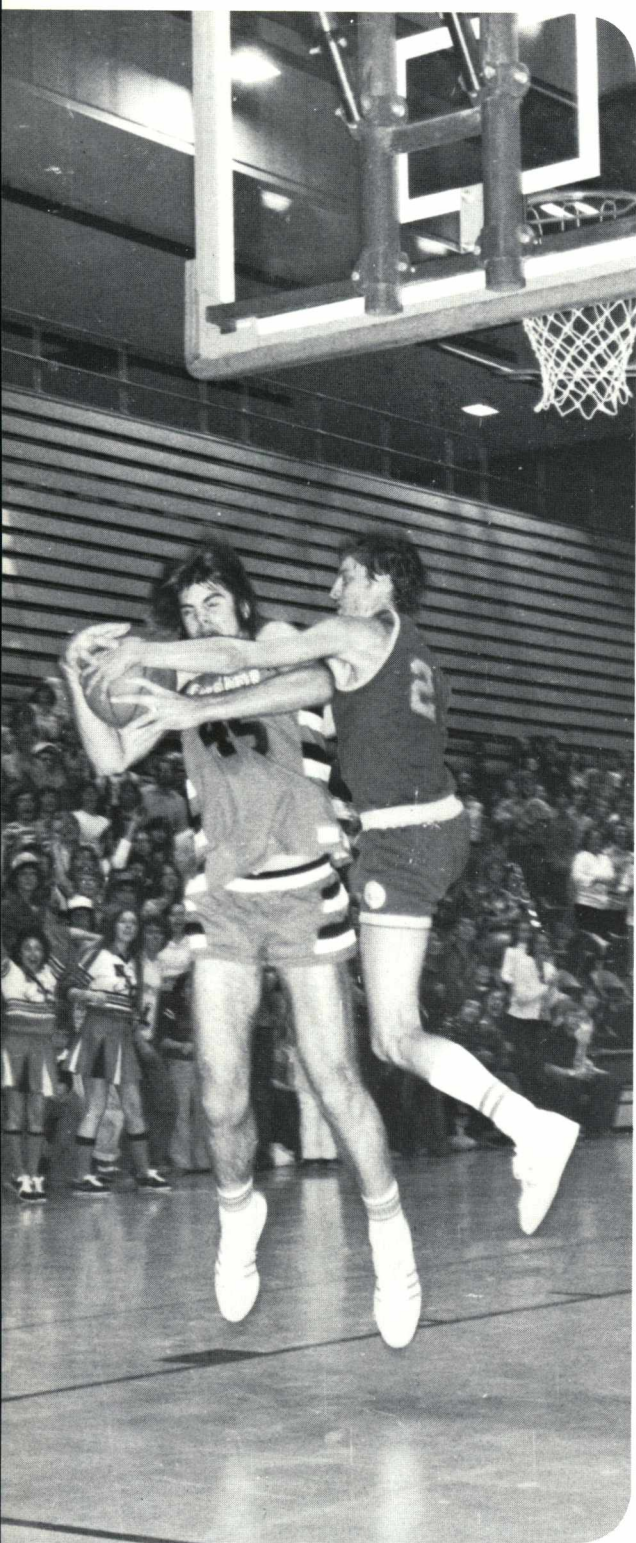


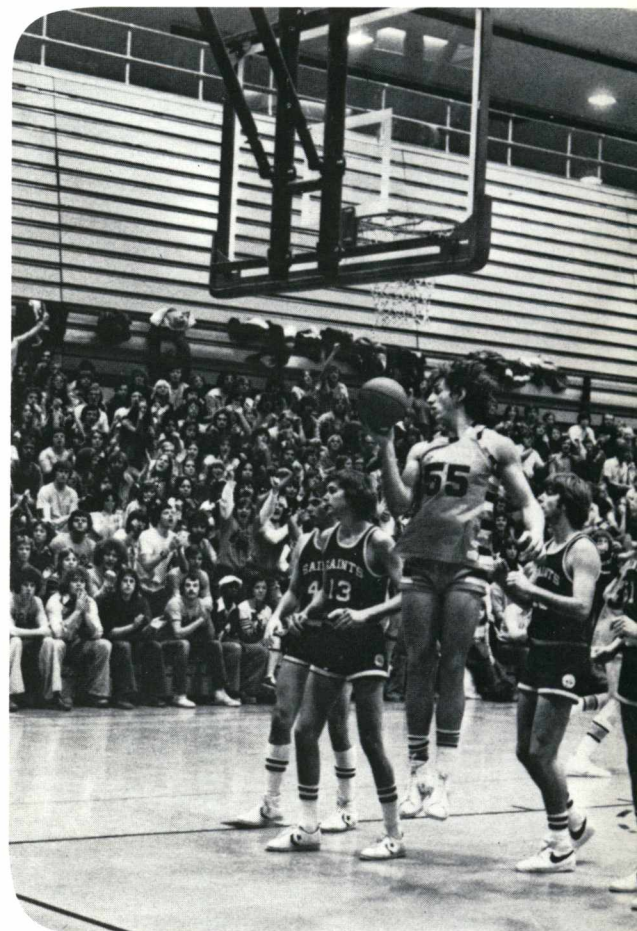


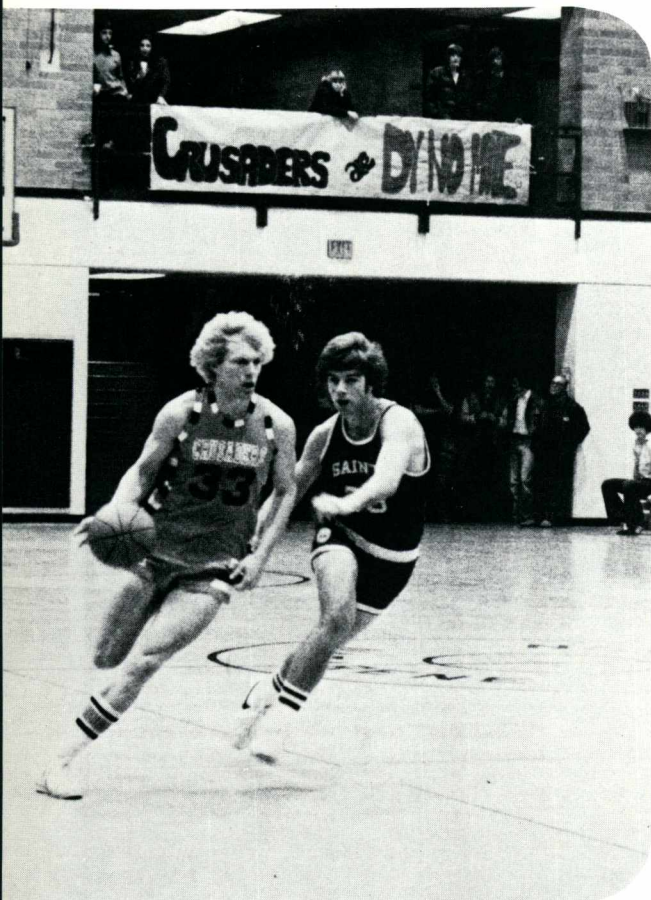
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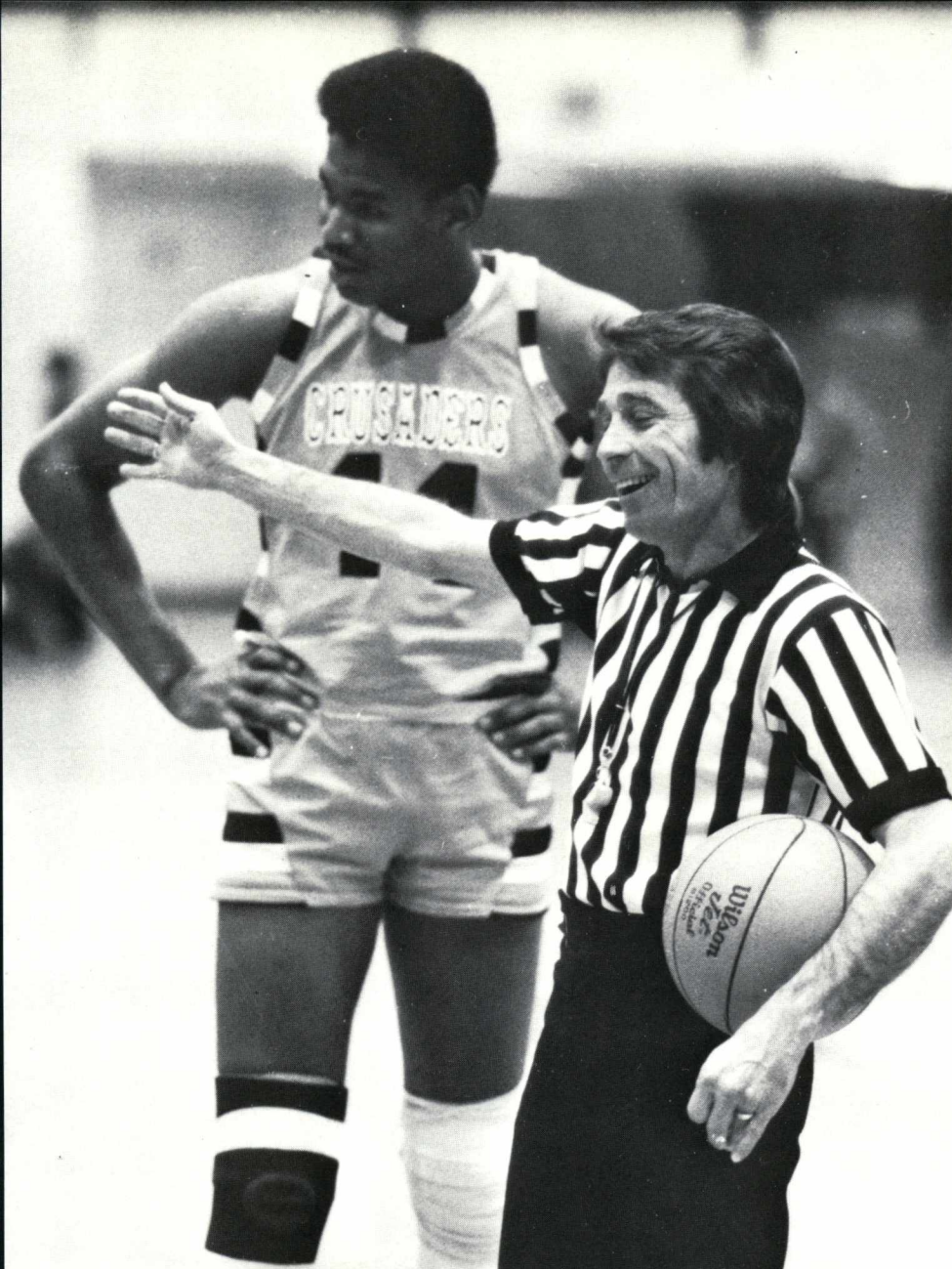


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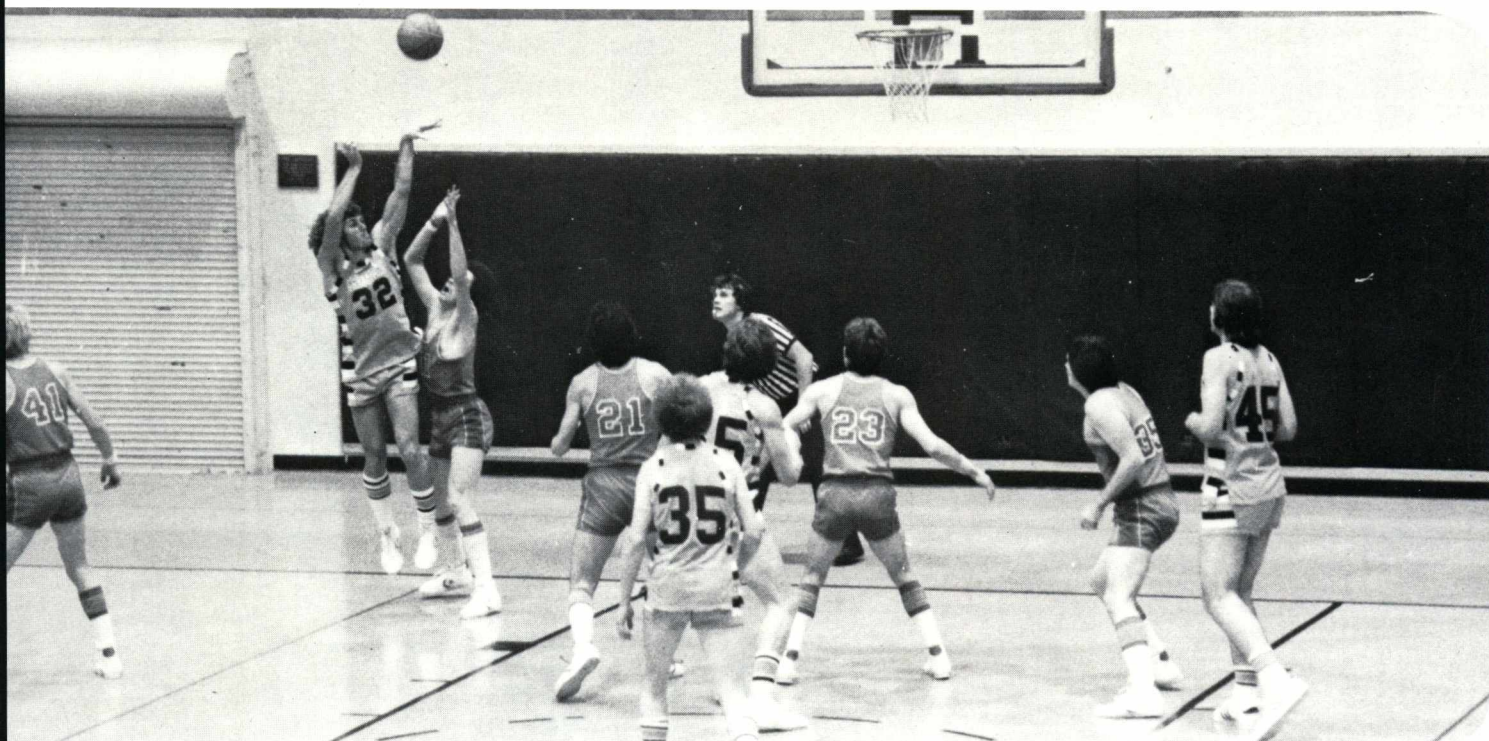


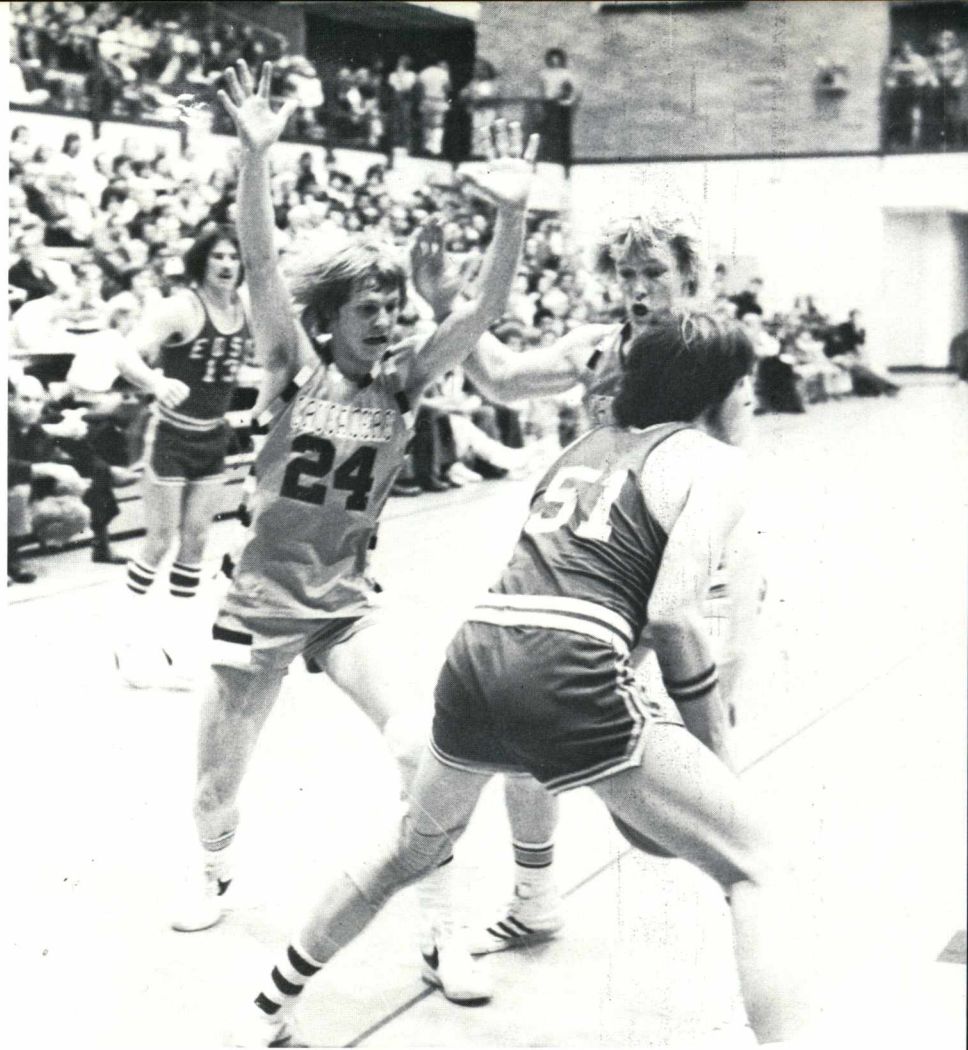


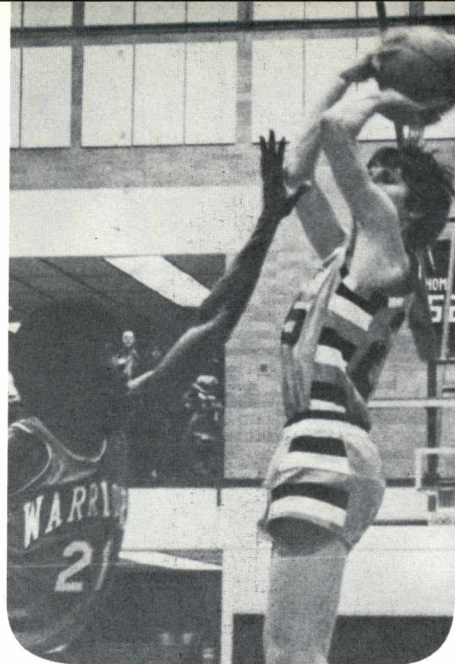


Crusaders Set New Records

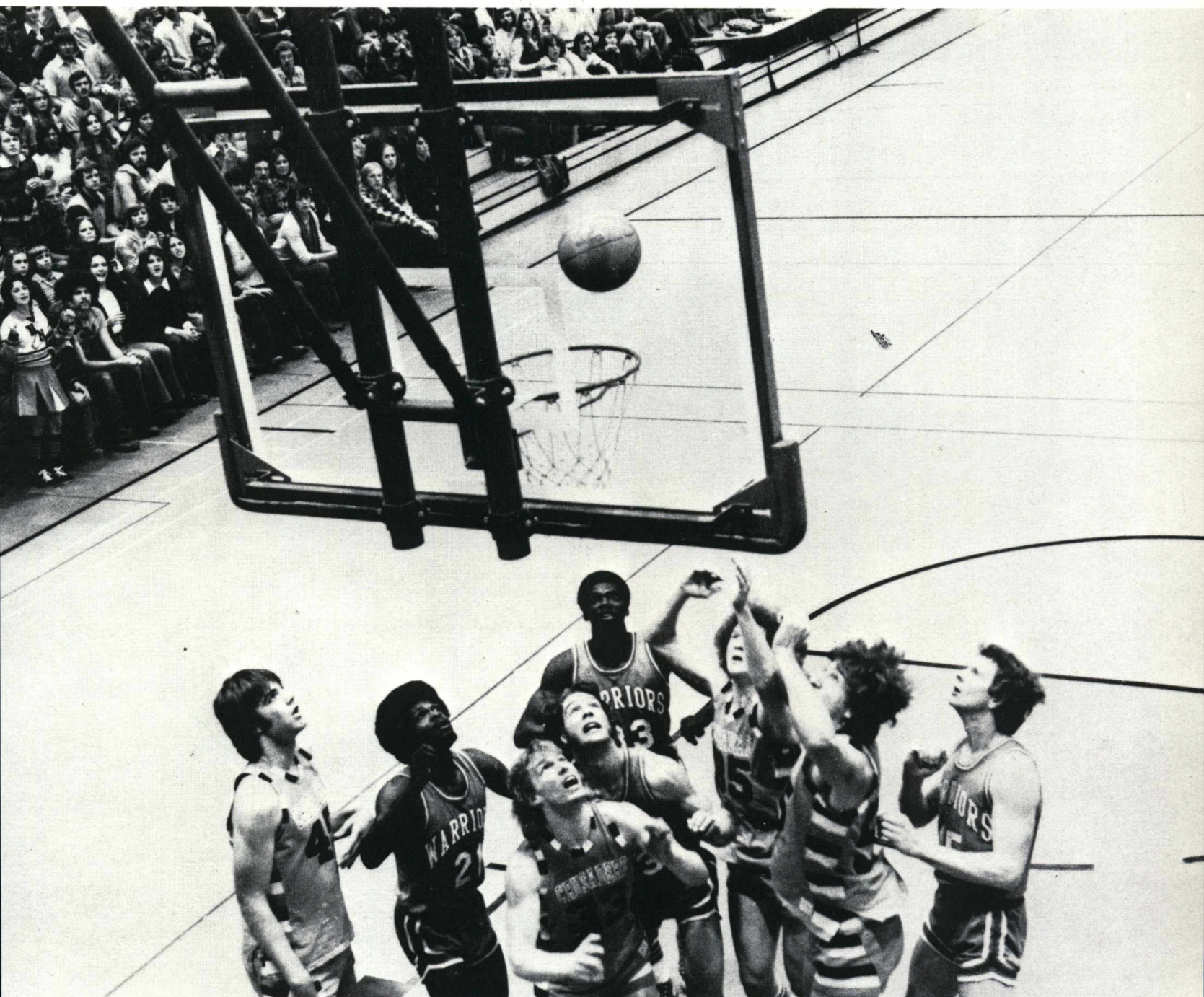
The Crusader roundballers concluded the long season with a win over Warner Pacific on Tuesday, February 22. This victory brought the season record to 17 wins, 11 losses. The Crusaders started the season and finished 1976 with a 12-1 record, but the new year was not quite so kind, and the Crusaders lost 10 of their last 15 games. Although the team seemed to falter somewhat in the latter portion of the season several new records were set. 6'8" freshman, Jeff Di Bene set a new NNC Field goal percentage with a 54.7, the record was previously held by Joe Martinez who captured the record during the 1974-75 season. The Crusaders also managed more victories than any NNC team since 1969.



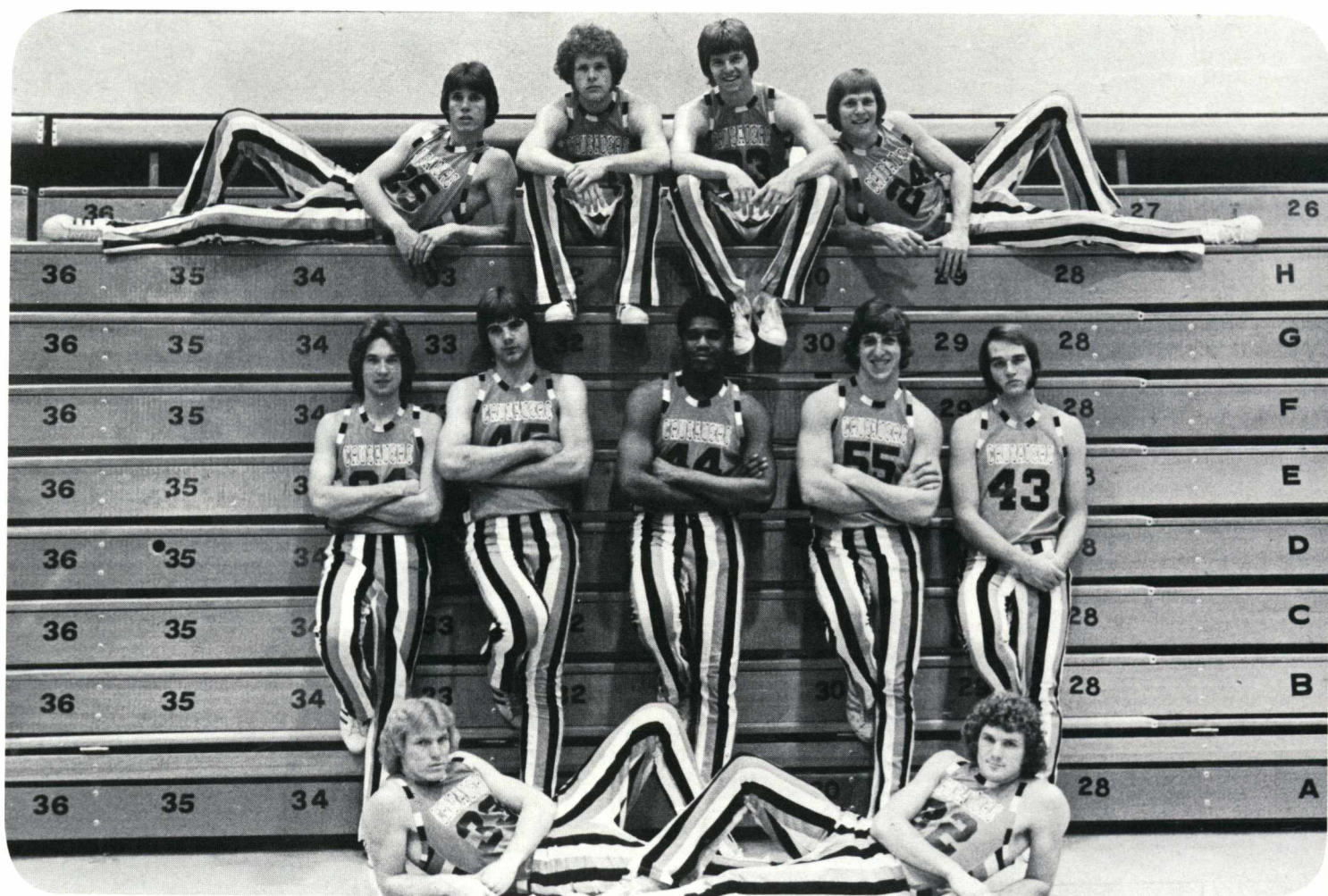
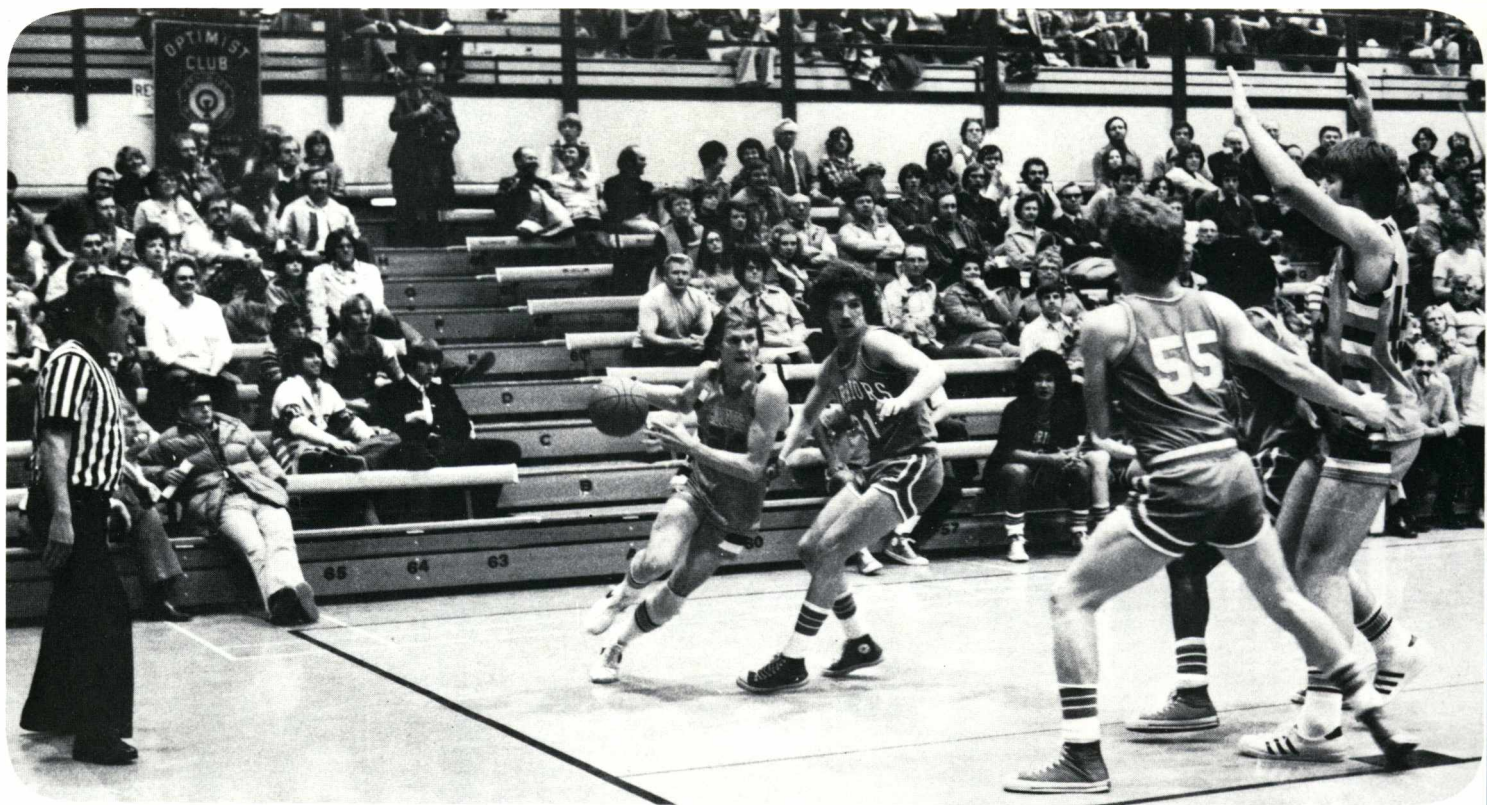




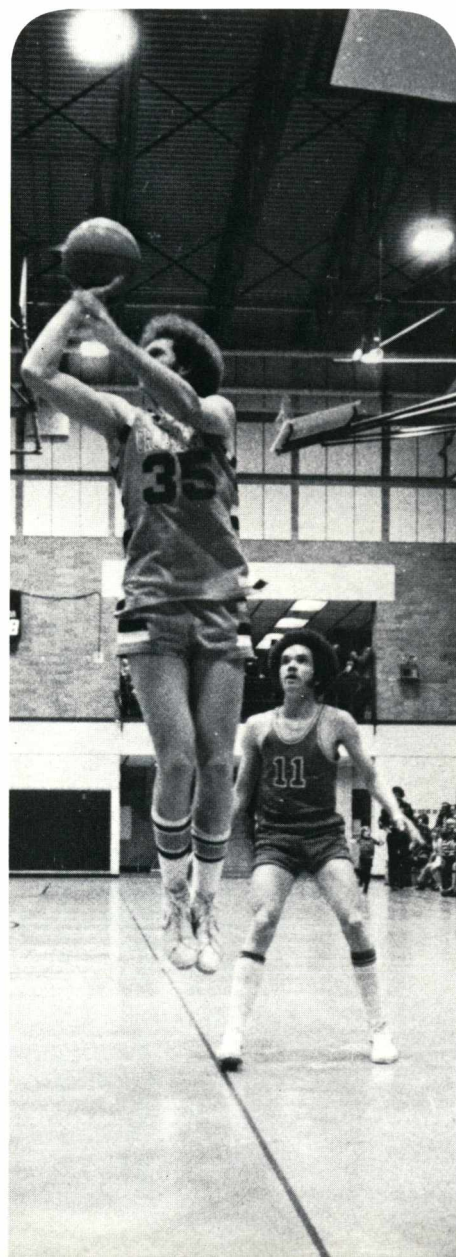
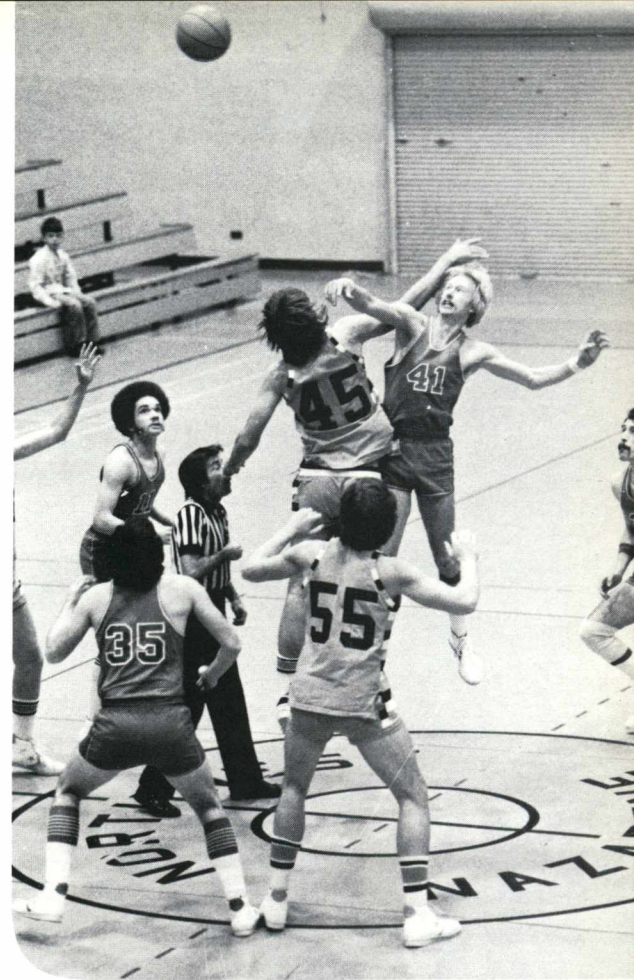
It's Interesting
How Important
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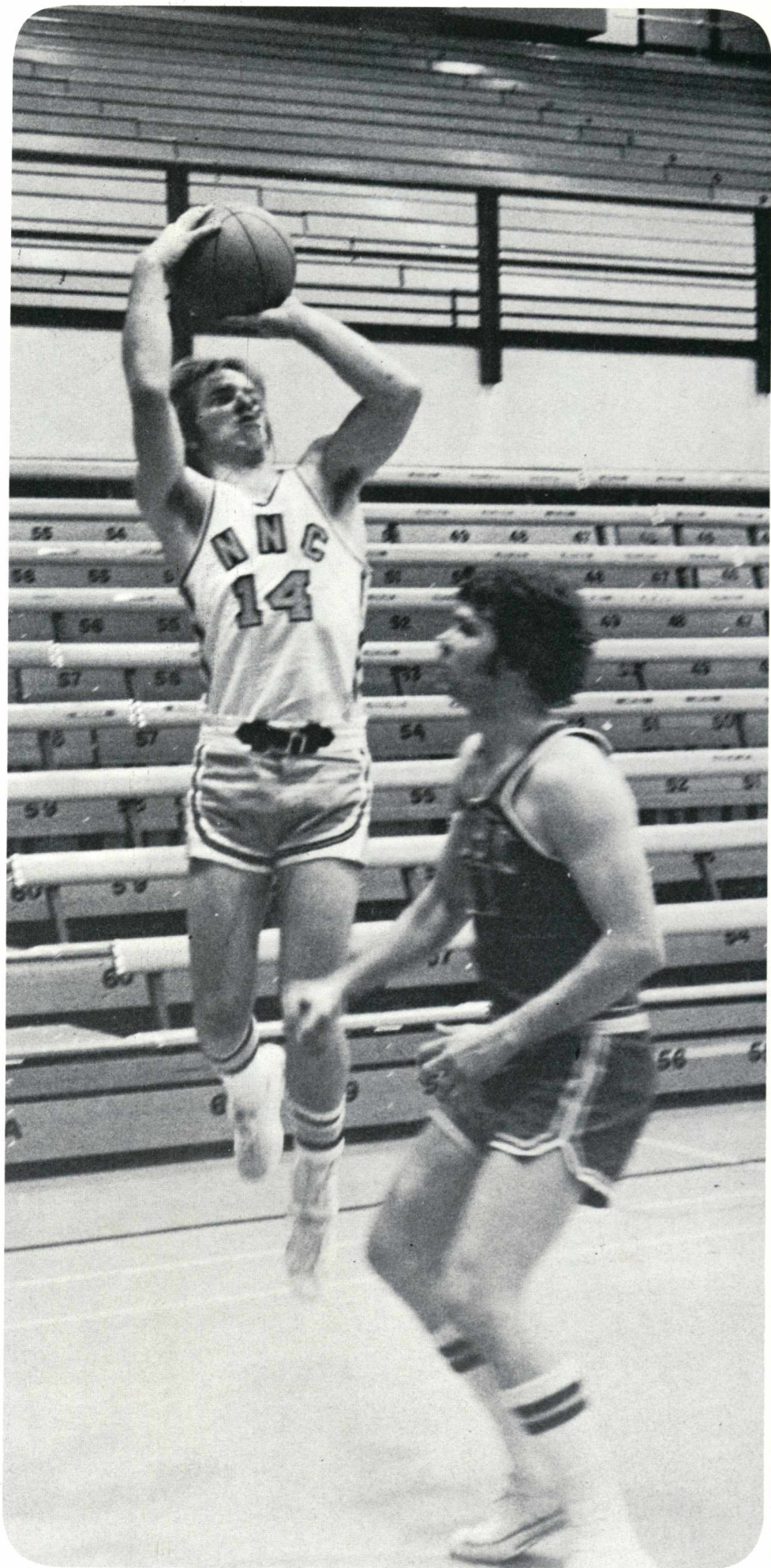
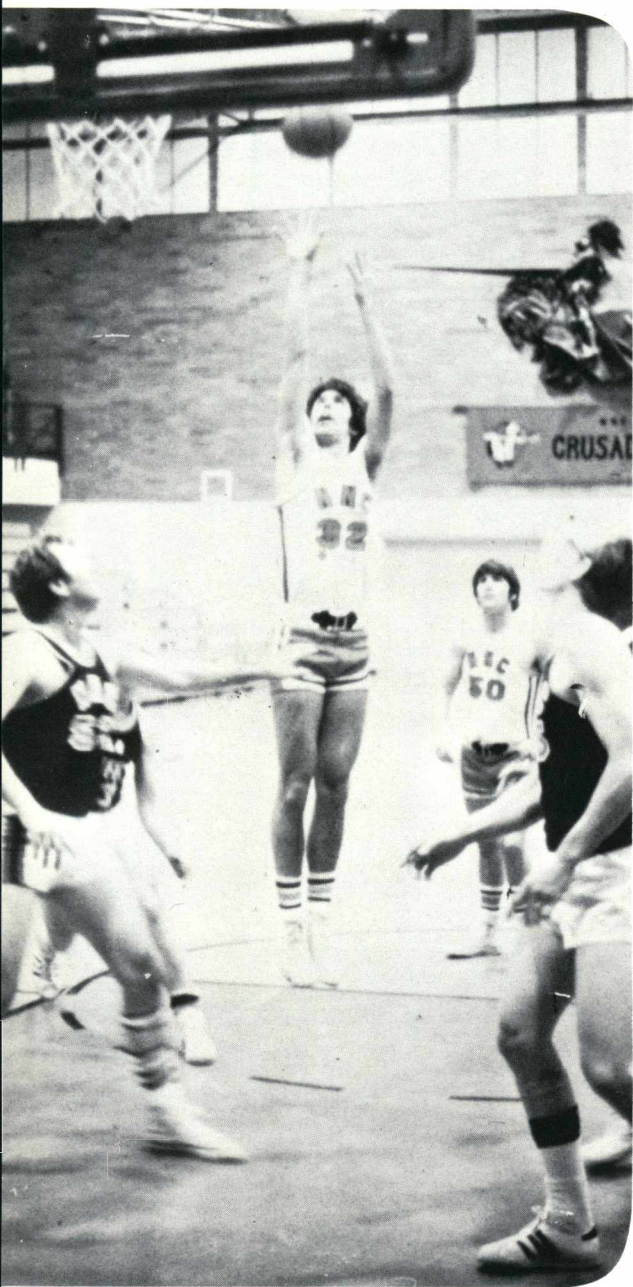


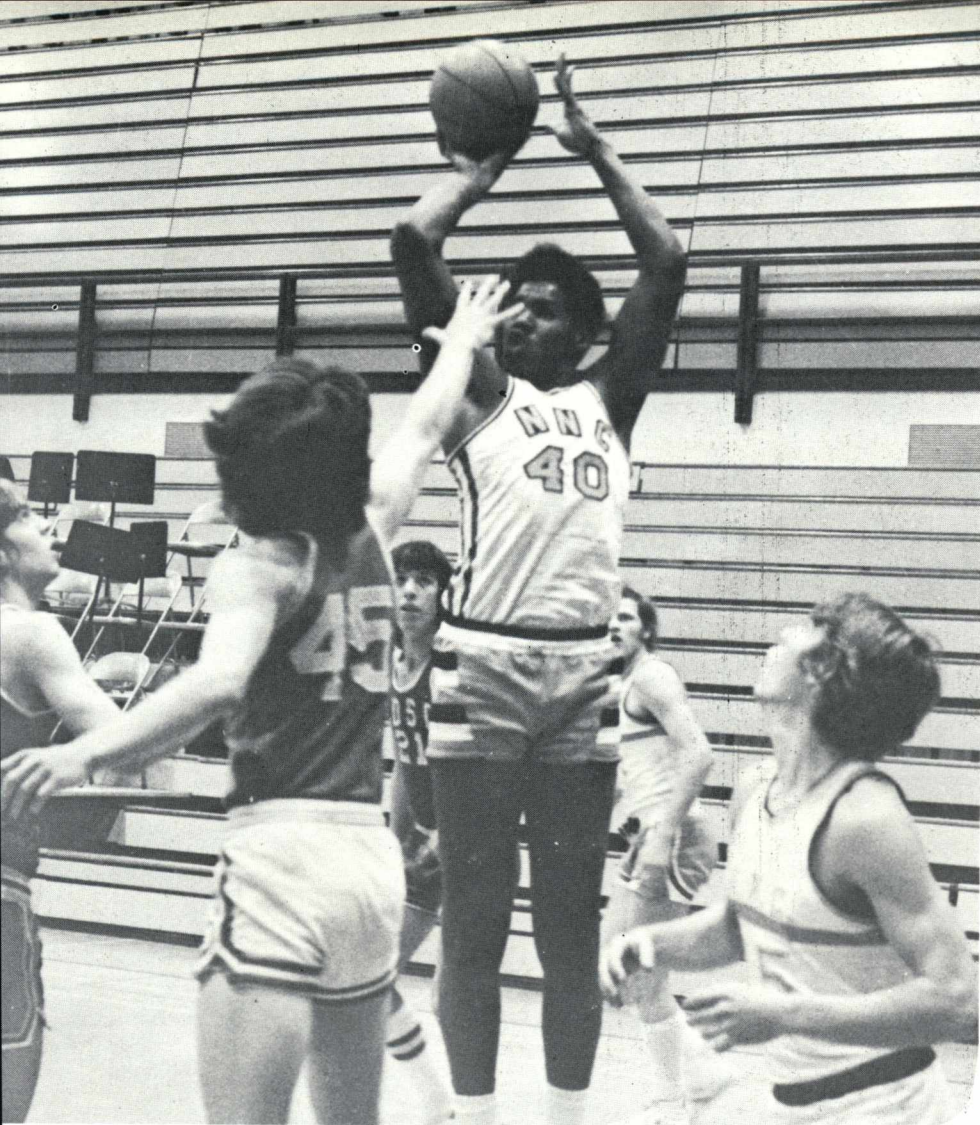
Crusaders Capture NAIA Tip-Off Tournament



Rommie Lewis, Ed Weidenbach, Dan Bowman, Keith Williams, Duke Jackson, Jeff DiBene, Verne Ward, Neal Stuart, Jim Greene, Scott Shaw, Fritz Jenkins.





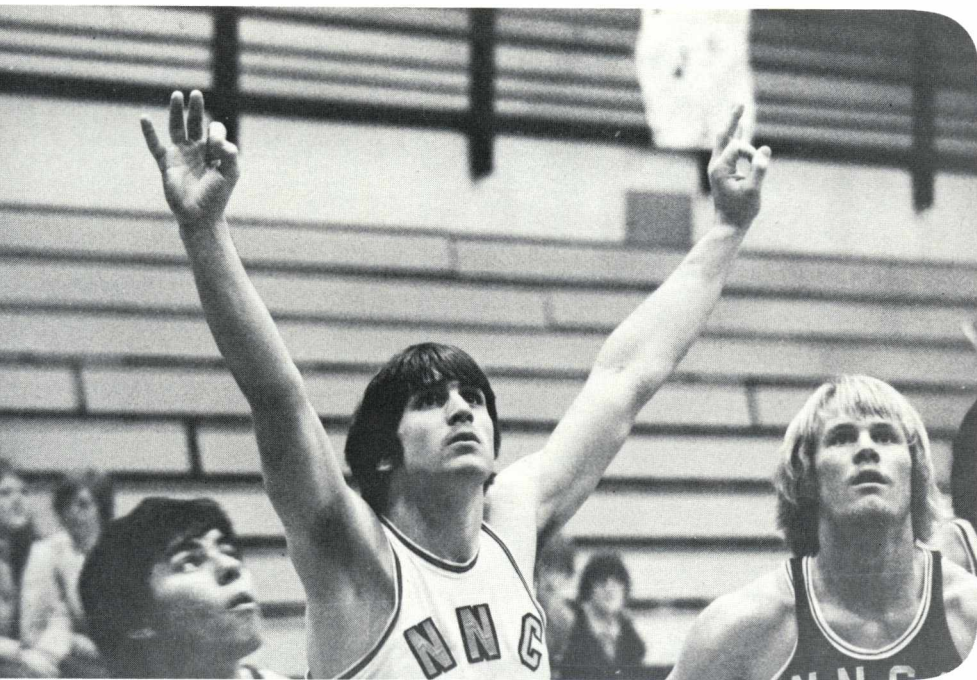


JV Roundballers Survive Tough Schedule





Overview of Season — Successful

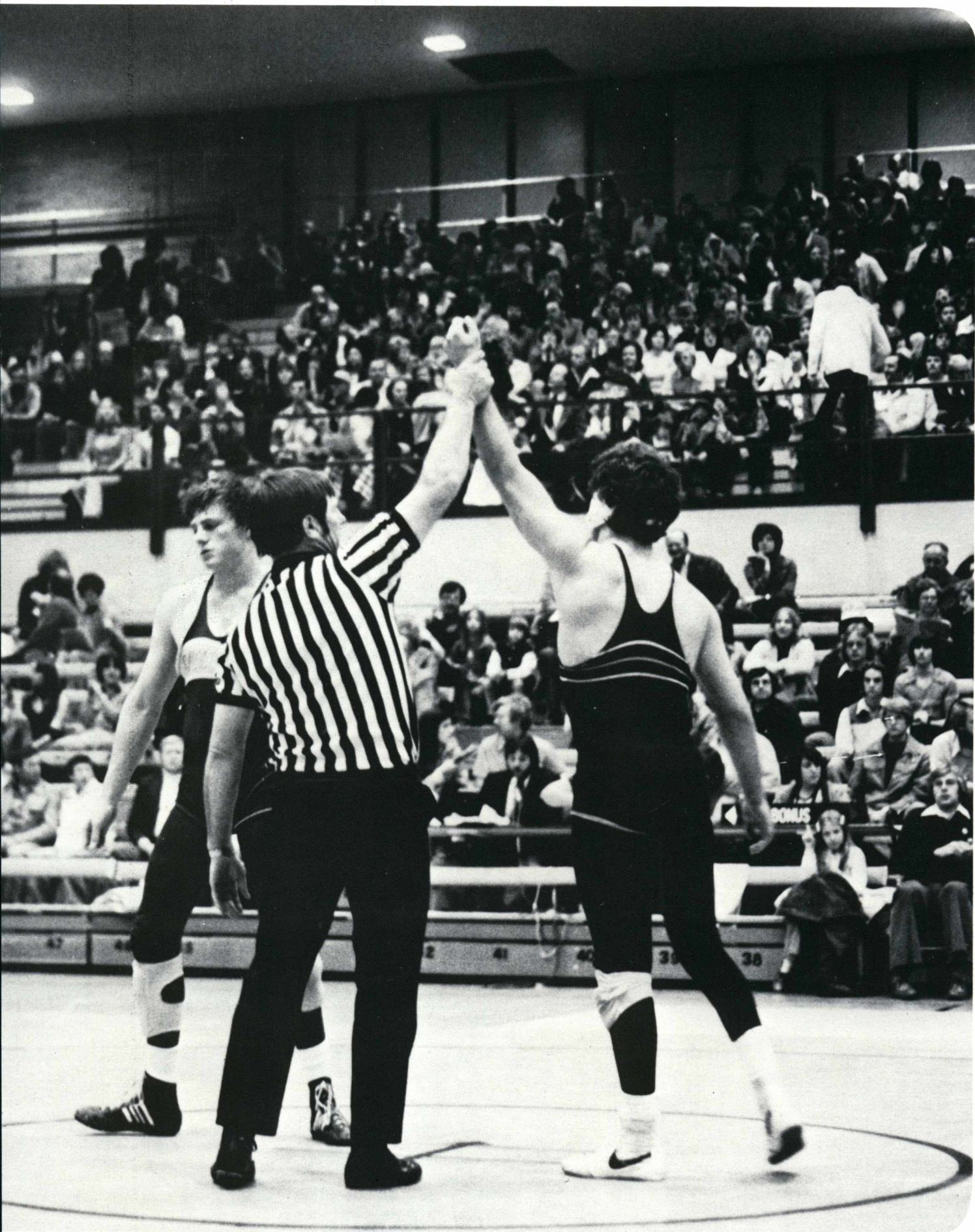


In view of the goals which were set at the beginning of the season, the year was a success. The JV team is an organization for inexperienced players, injured varsity players who need a time to recuperate, and for anyone who wants to play collegiate basketball not being on the Varsity team. The young team gained much experience and had some bright moments, especially on offense when a good team effort brought down a score of 107 points one game.



Wrestlers Uphold Winning Tradition

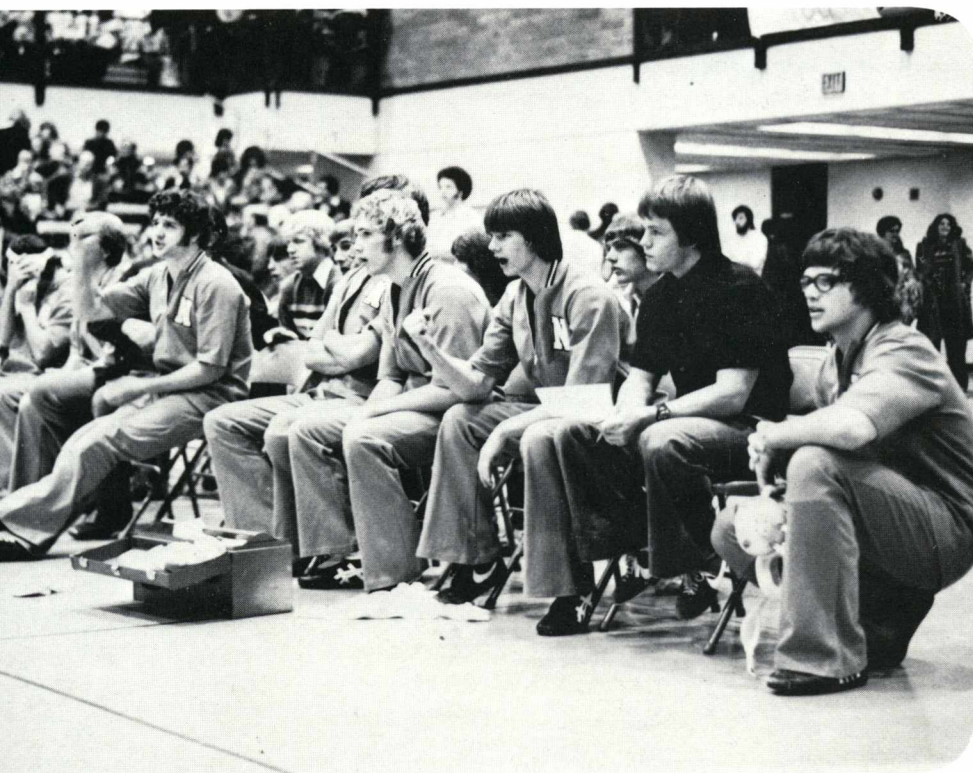




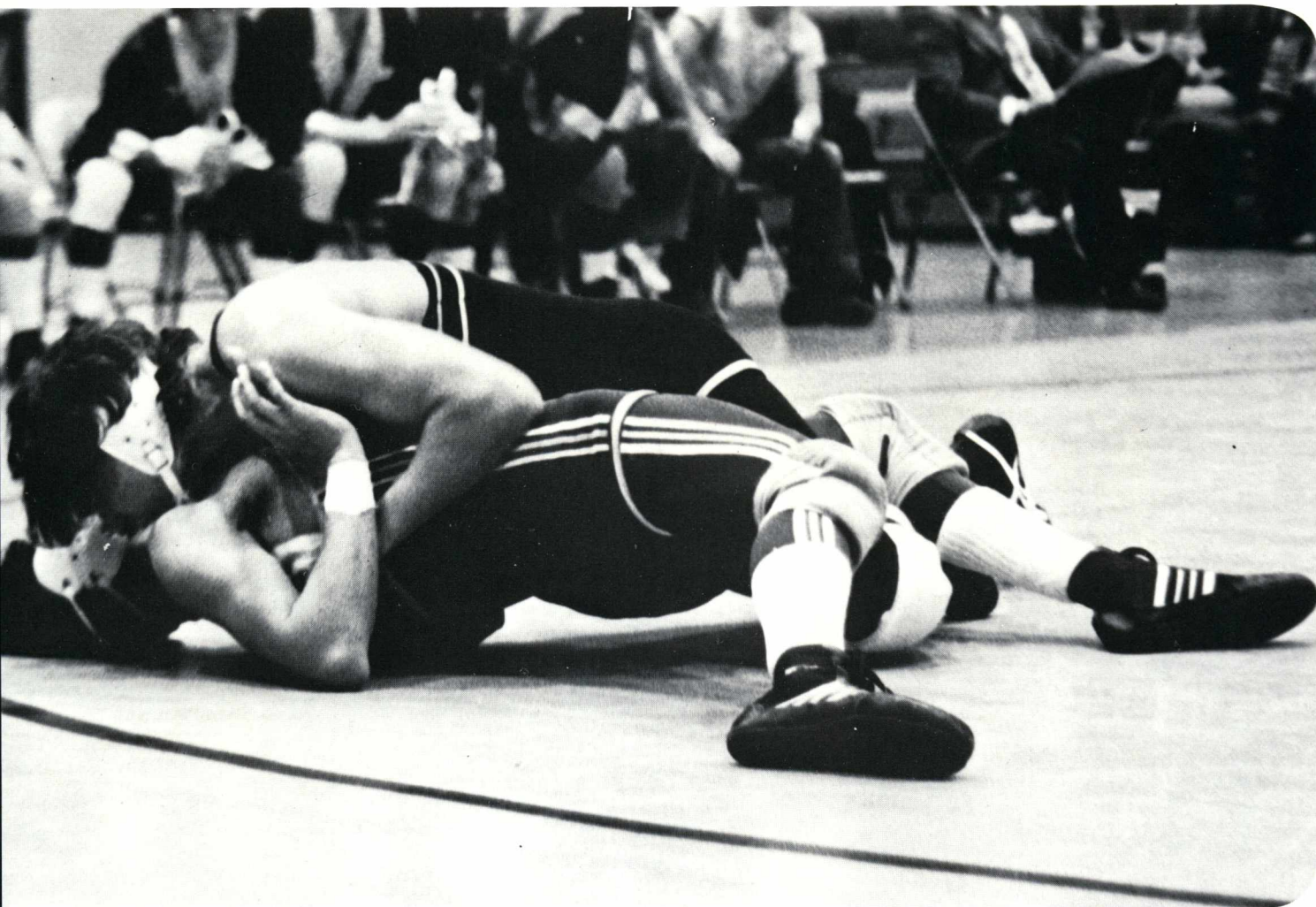
Crusaders Are Williamette U. Tournament Champions

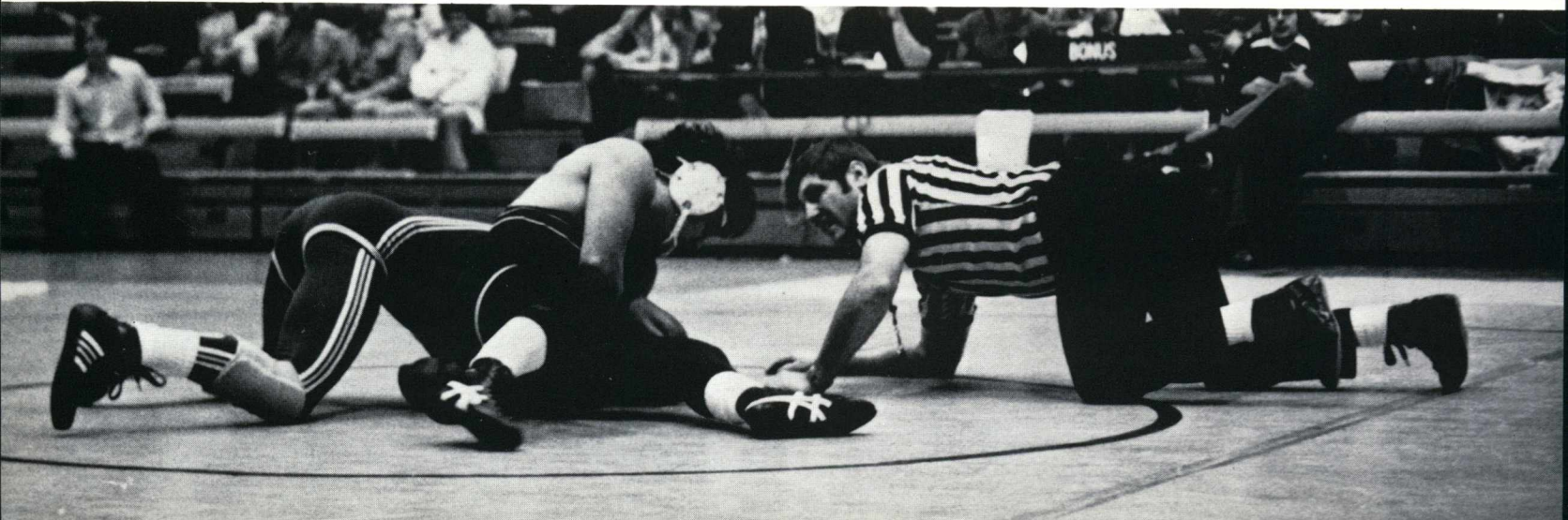
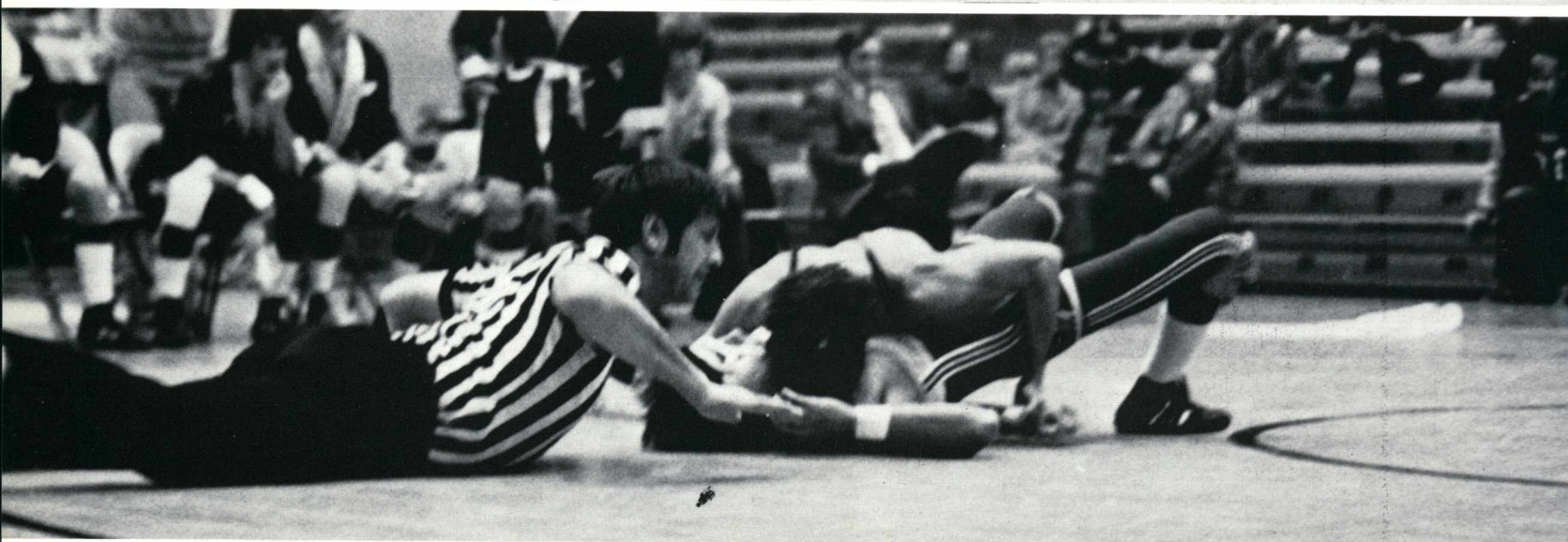


Grapplers End Season 7-2



Having accumulated a record of 7 wins and 2 losses in dual meet competition, the NNC wrestlers concluded what would have to be one of their very finest seasons. The high point of the season was the first place finish at the Willamette University Invitational Tournament where the team collected 163 points to the second place team's 91 points. Thirteen out of the fifteen wrestlers placed.





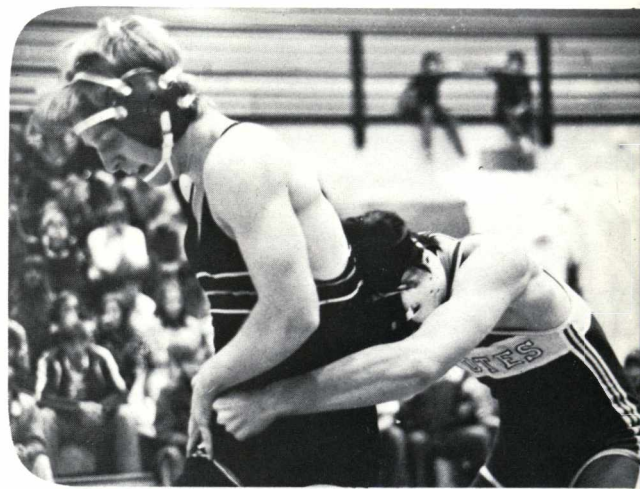
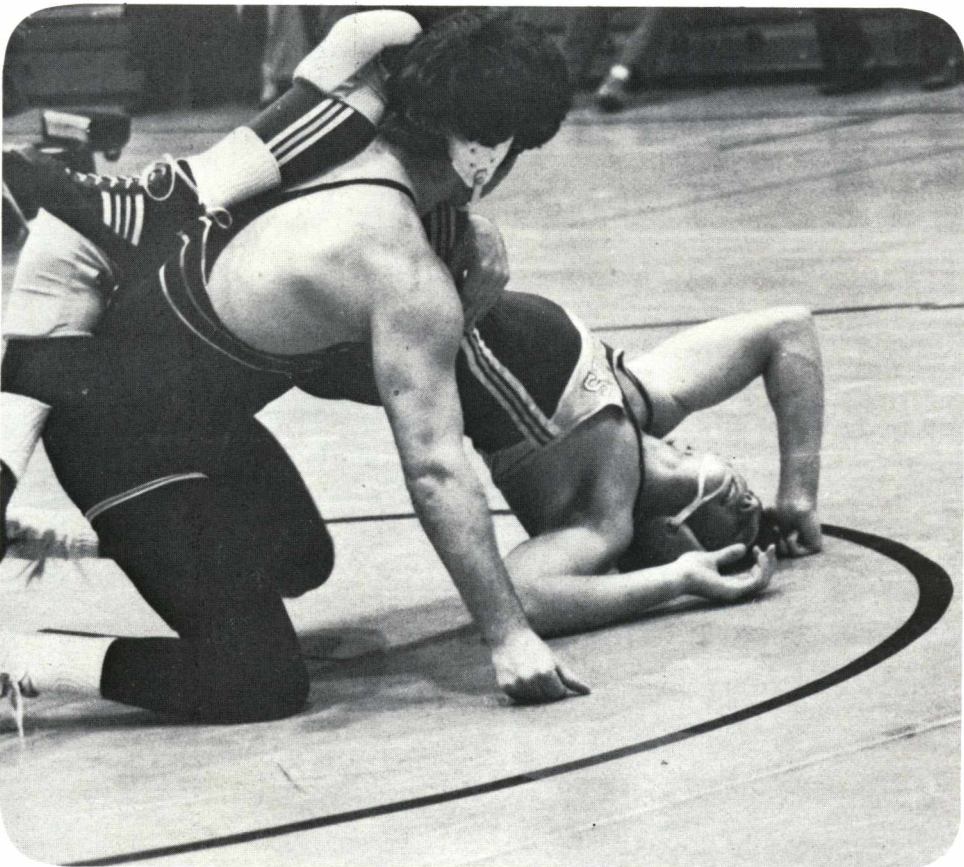
Crusaders in a Sticking Situation



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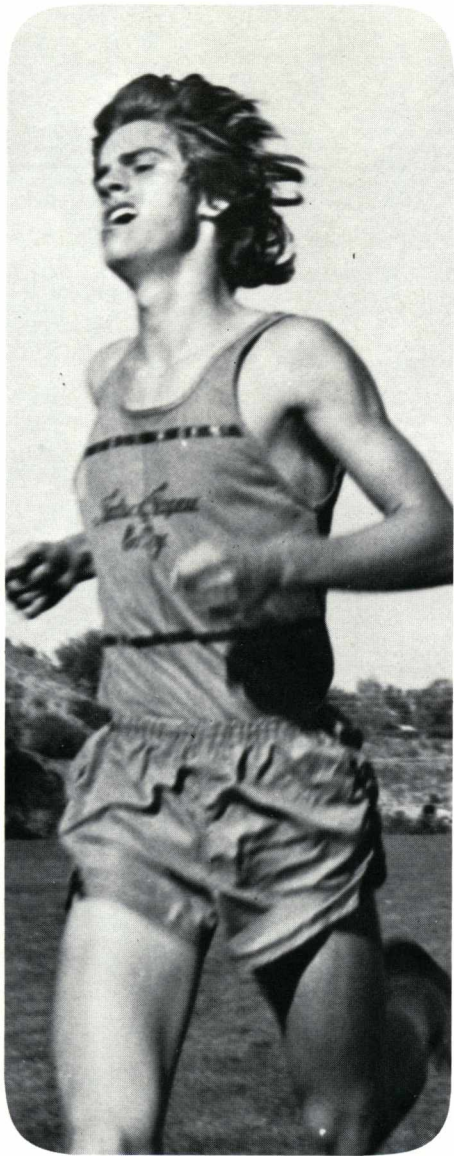
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| 142 lbs. | Jeff Lenker |
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| 158 lbs. | John Meyhew |
| 167 lbs. | Scott Freeby |
| 177 lbs. | Doug Shaffer |
| 190 lbs. | Dave O'Conner |
| HWT | Don Trent |

| | |
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| 118 lbs. | Ken Courtney |
| 126 lbs. | Tim Kurtz |
| 134 lbs. | Keith Horwood |
| 142 lbs. | Doug Ries |
| 158 lbs. | A. J. Anderson |
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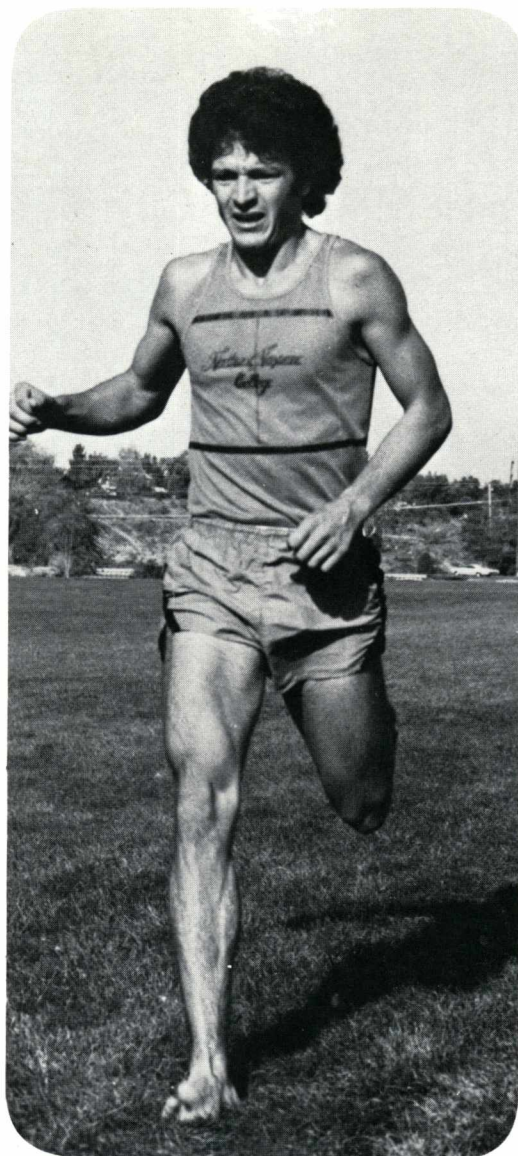


Crusader Striders Represent NNC Well

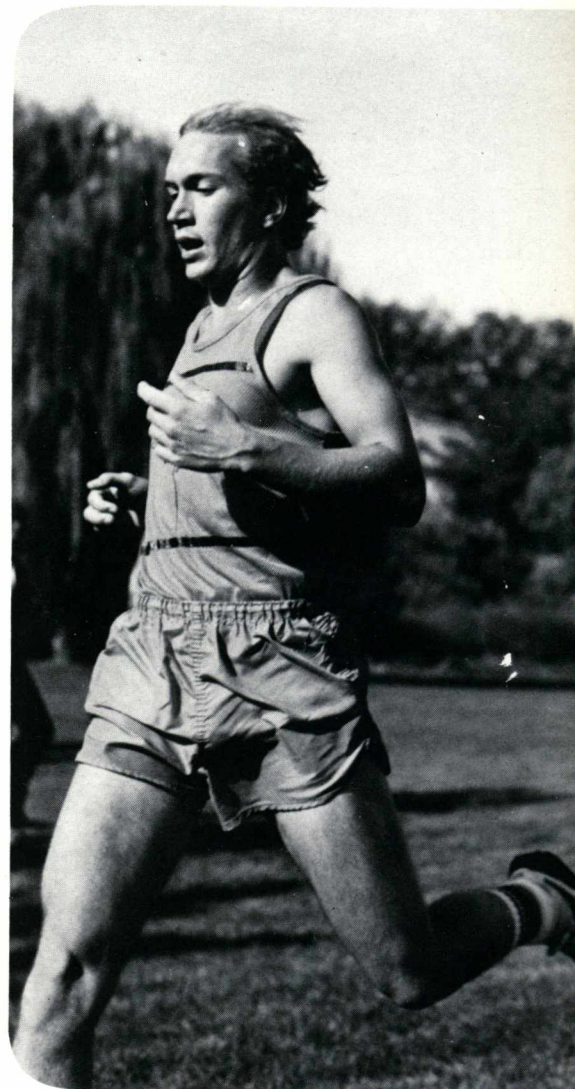


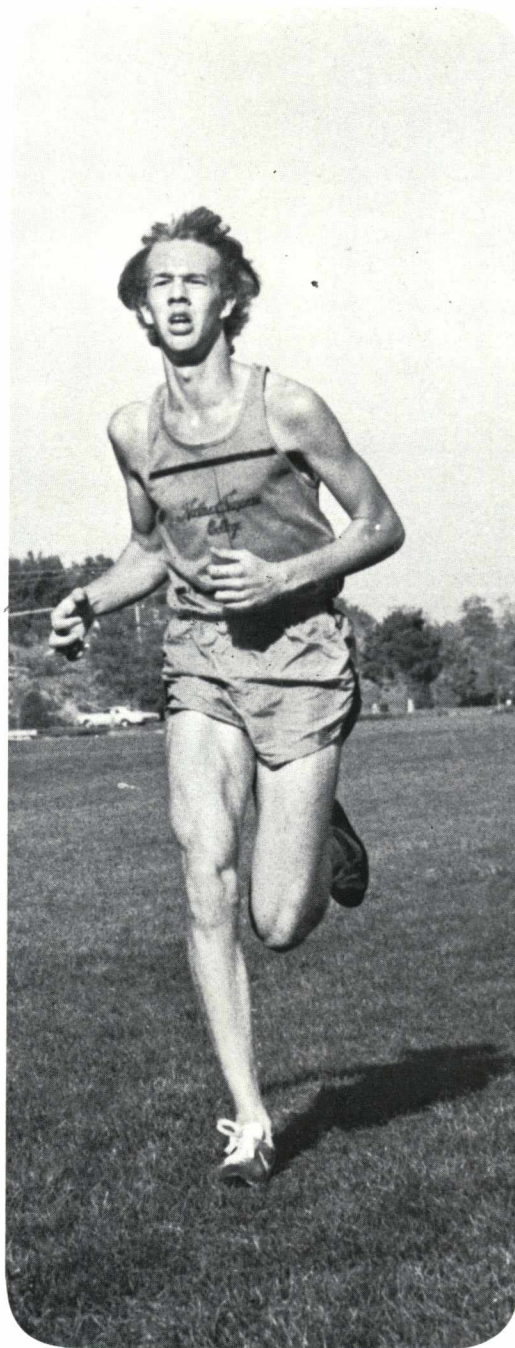


Walter Tracy



Dave Titterington





Steve Smith

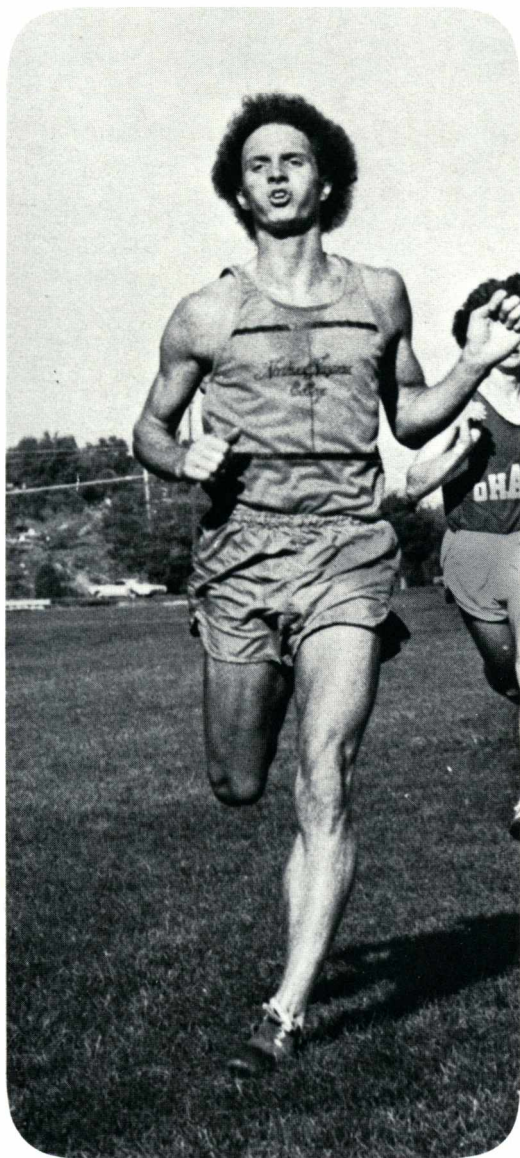


Randy Fox



Steve Smith, Randy

Individual Talent Stands Out



Kalvin Egger



Dave Titterington, Calvin Egger, Tim McIntyre, Walter Tracy, Doug Scarth

Reflecting on the season Coach Taylor thought "this is one of the best teams I have ever coached here at NNC. Though we competed well through the season, it was the efforts of the individual that stood out." Coach Taylor also said that the Salem Invitational was the highlight of the season.





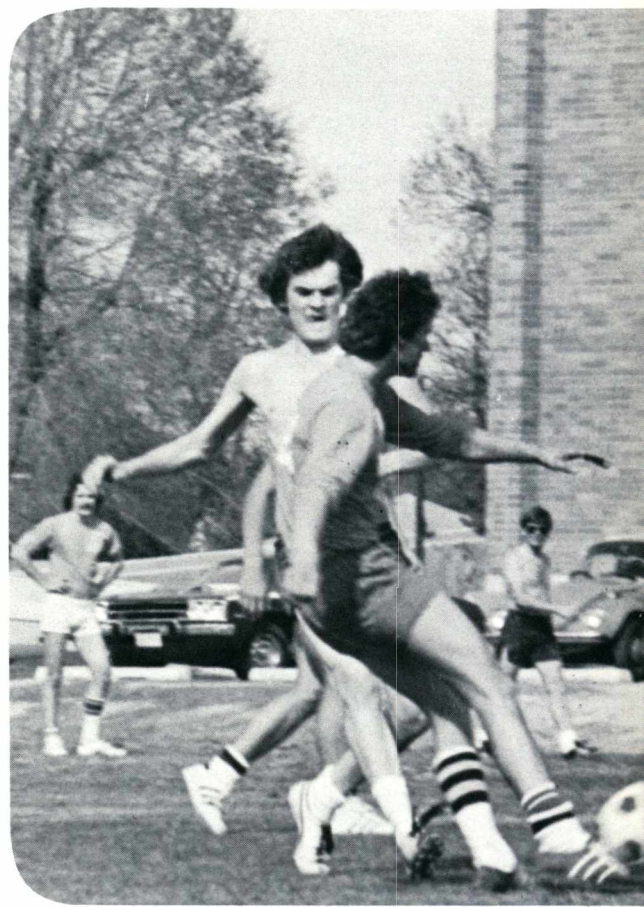
Soccer Team Dribbles Through Opponents



The Crusader kickers bounced through a successful season by finishing second. NNC finished the season by kicking C of I all over the field to win finally 12-1. At the beginning of the season the team was rated among the top two teams in the Treasure Valley, along with BSU, which the Crusaders put down 6-0. The American Union team edged out team by just one goal.



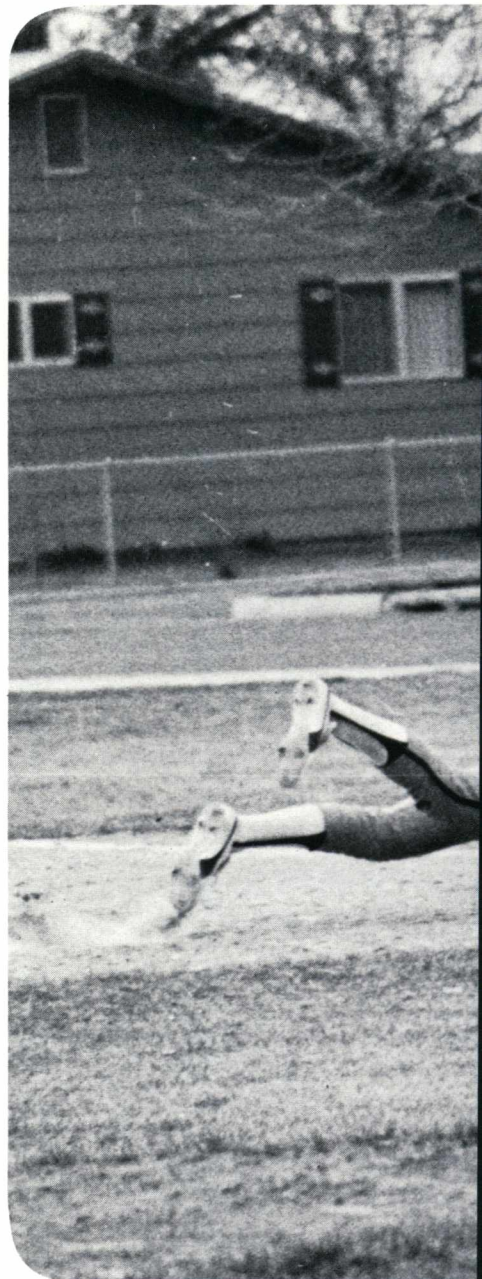
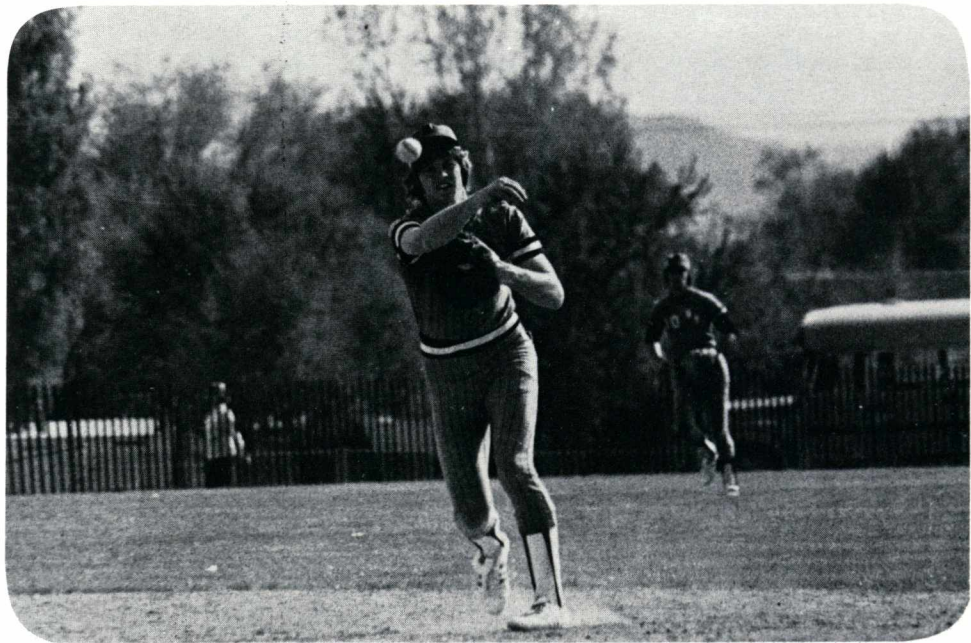
Soccer Team Nails Top Competition of Season, BSU, 6-0





Kickers End Season — 2nd Place

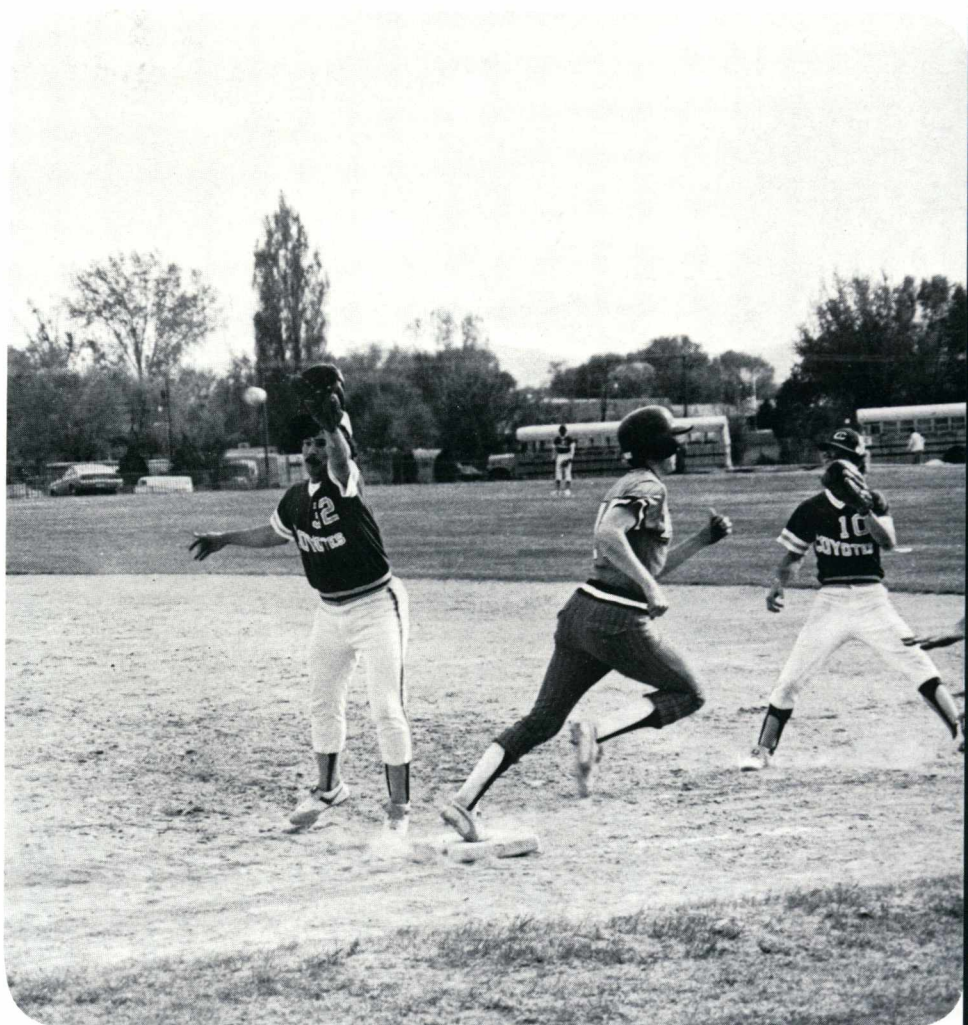
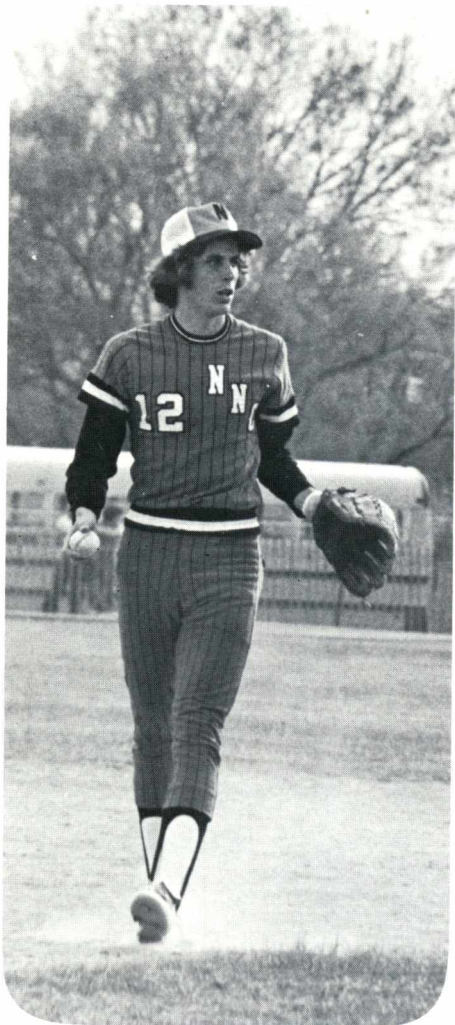






Crusader Baseball Team Comes Close to District Playoffs





Baseballers Have a Lot of Hits and a Lot of Errors



NNL Baseball Future Looks Bright

The baseball team had the best season they have had since 1967. Their record was 13 wins and 14 losses. Freshman Scott Shaw was the most outstanding player. With most of the team being underclassmen the future should be bright for Crusader baseball.



Gary Fields, Al Franks, Greg Kinnaman, Steve Hodges, Mark LaFong, Doug Groenig, Randy Vaughn, Steve Hanson, Doug Tweedy, Bruce Wasson, Ken Ross, Doug Lamm, Charlie Mylander, Scott Shaw, Ernie Thompson.

Crusaders Win 13 of 27

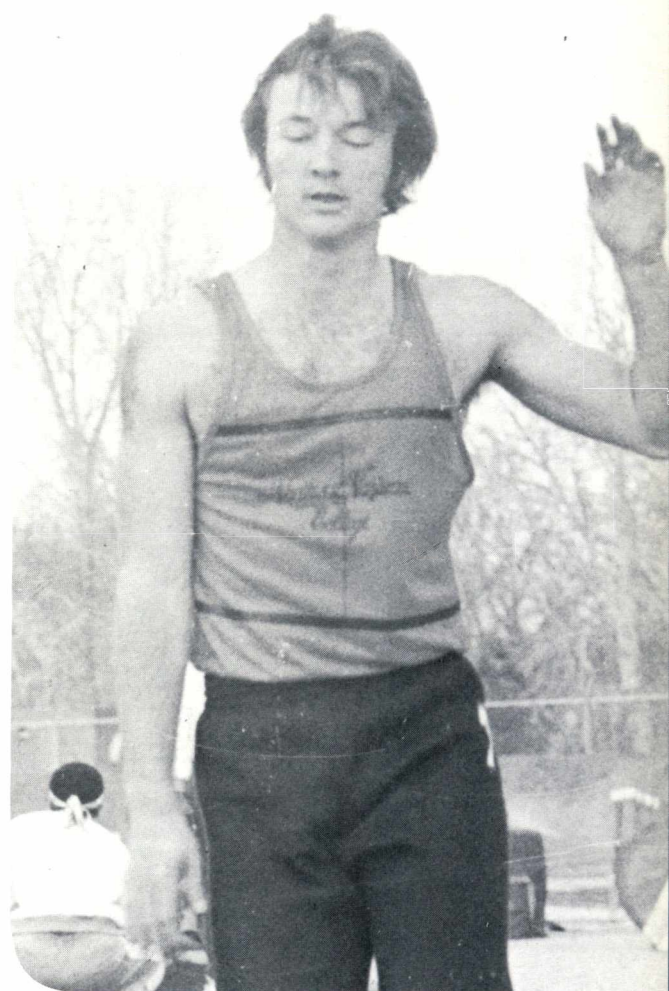


Individual Talent Is Highlight





Tim Gilbert Runs
49.1 440 Dash
Beats School
Record



Tegethoff's Javelin Throw 205', Shatters NNC Record



Alan Tegethoff, Kelvin Egger, Doug Beggs, Tim Gilbert, Randy Rayborn, Bob Diehm, Dave Titterington, Coach Taylor, Steve Smith, Bill Powers, Andy Vasquez, Walt Trac, Quentin Anderson, Kevin Rosenbaum, Tim McIntyre.

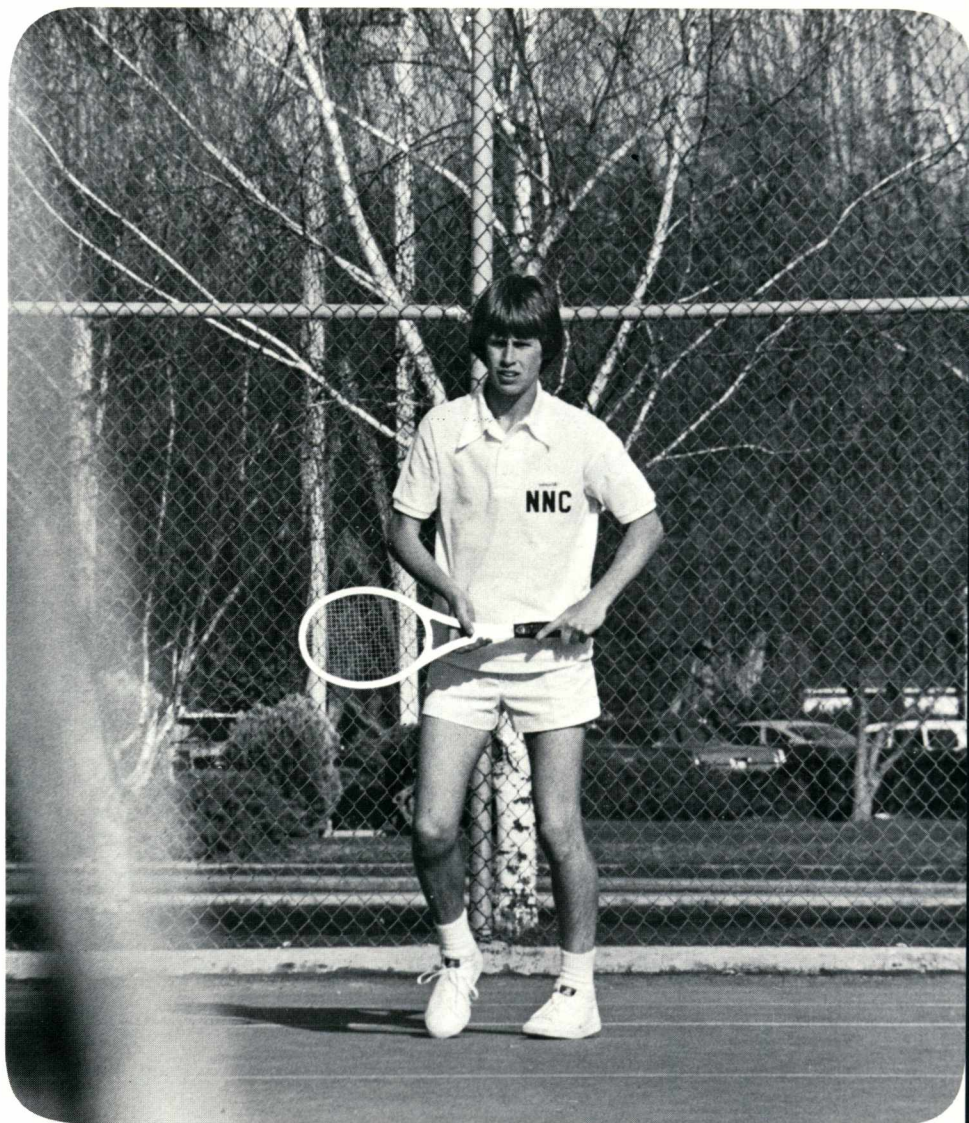
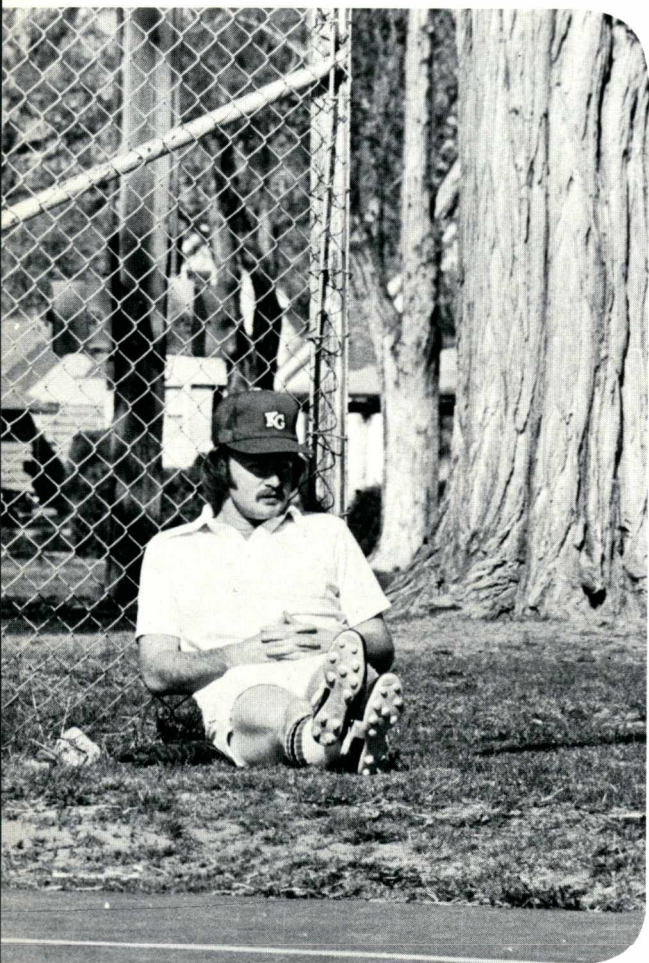


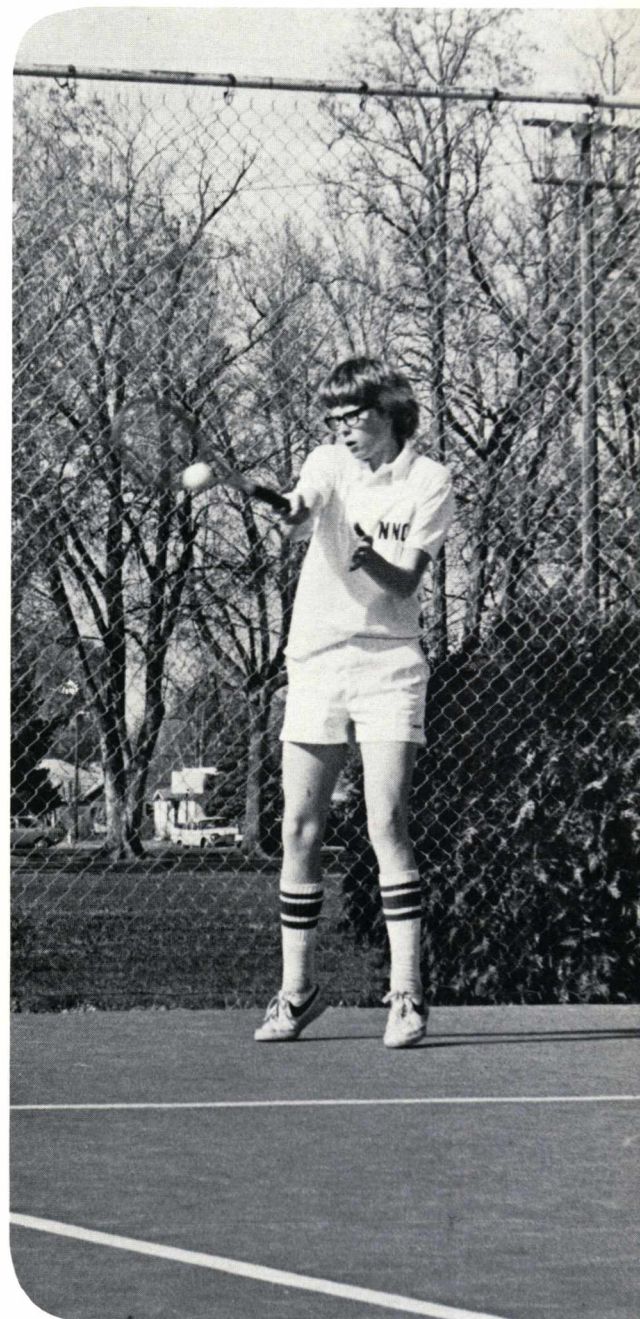
Although spring in Nampa has not been what you could call delightful, the men's track and field team has turned in some strong performances. Two new school records have been established. They are — 440 yard dash by Tim Gilbert with a time of 49.1 and Alan Tegethoff's 205' throw of the javelin. Overall the team did a good job.



Crusader Tennis Season Overview:

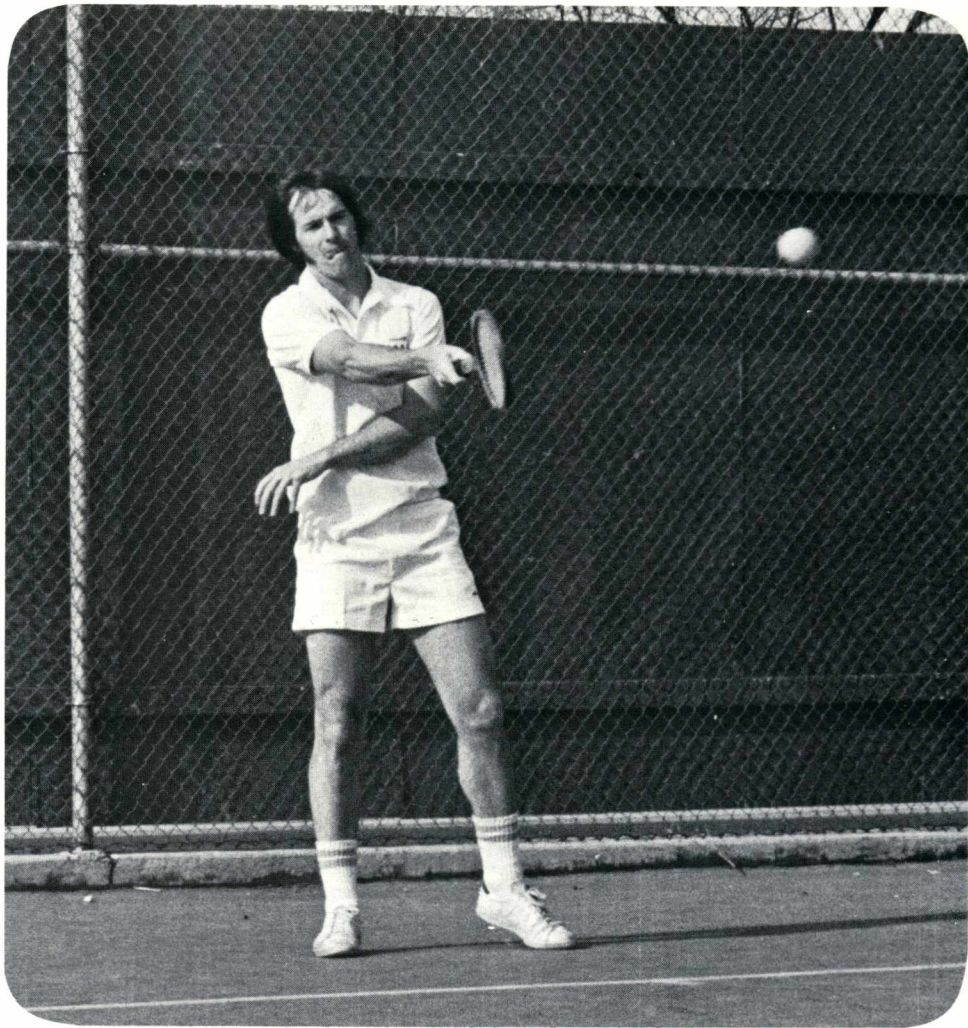
You Ace Some
and You Fault Some





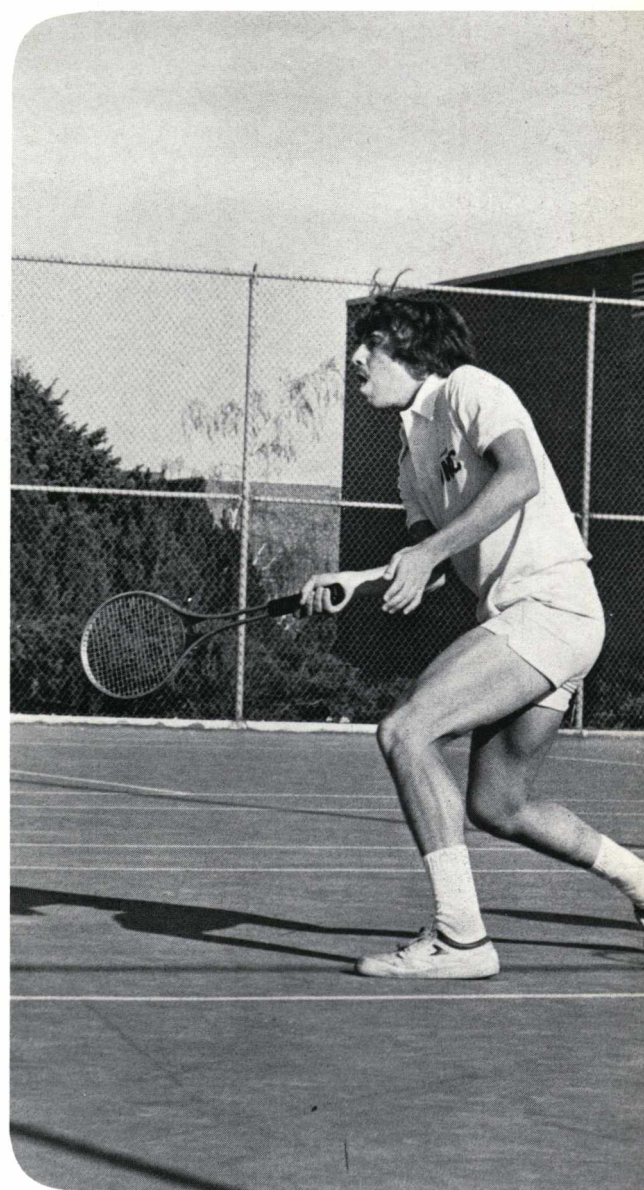
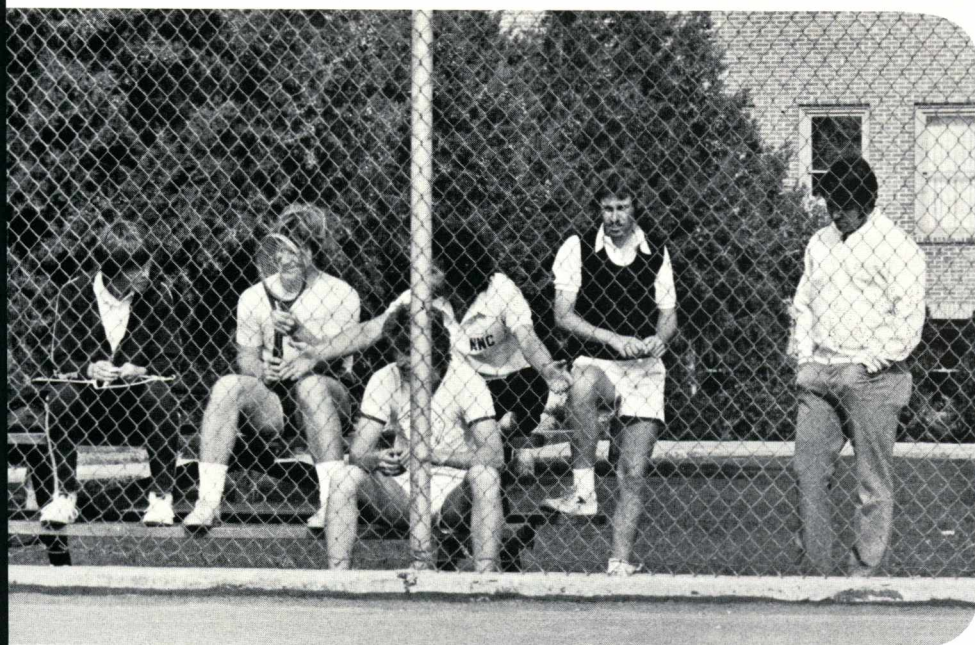
TEAM ROSTER:

Rex Wardlaw
 Ray Wardlaw
 Joel Pearsall
 Dean Cowles
 Mark Akers
 Gary Harris
 John Rapp
 Lee Bomgarnder
 Dan Noel
 Barry Meyers
 Glenn Thomson
 Walter Beggs





The tennis team went through a pretty tough schedule and took it pretty well. Last word heard, everyone survived and plans on turning out next year. What they lacked in skill they made up in enthusiasm and courage. Most outstanding player of the season was Rex Wardlaw and the most improved was Mark Akers. With many returning lettermen the team should be improved.



Golf Team Collects Some Birdies and Boogies

The NNC golf team had what you might call its ups and downs this spring. Nearly every golfer would shoot excellent golf nine out of the 18 holes, but somehow just could not remain consistent throughout the entire match. However, most golfers improved on their personal best round and established the following season averages:

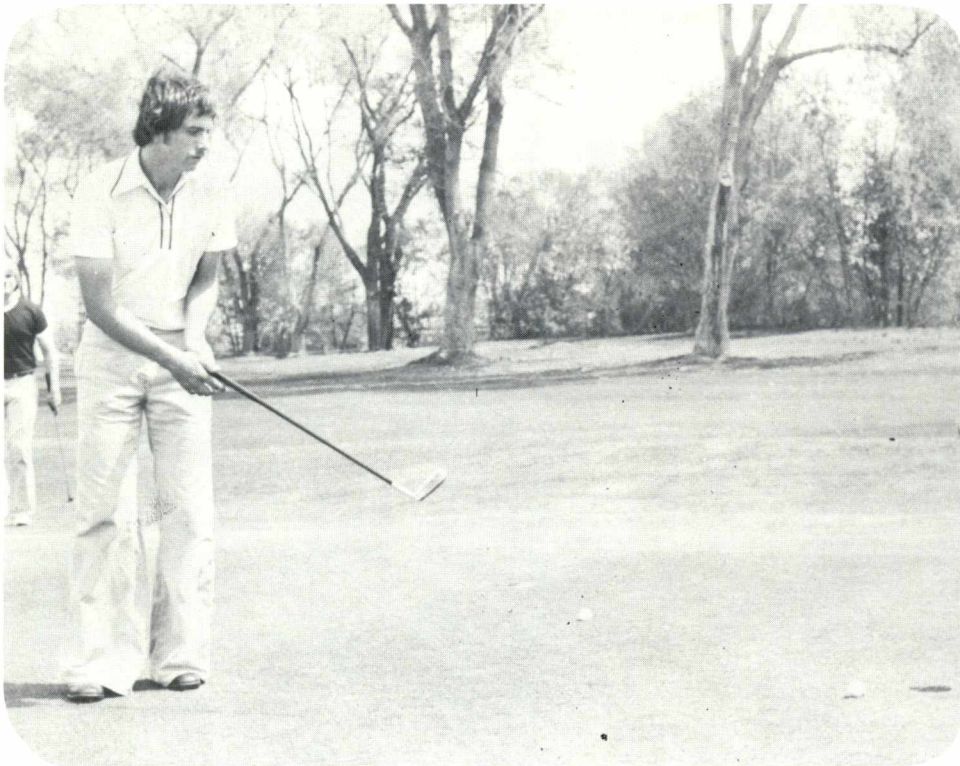
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| Greg Bullock | 79.8 |
| Mike Johnson | 80.9 |
| Ron Slovic | 81.6 |
| Jeff Bell | 82.3 |
| Frank Best | 83.8 |
| Carl Cady | 85.0 |
| Dave Shelton | 90.5 |



Frank Best



Greg Bullock



Carl Cady



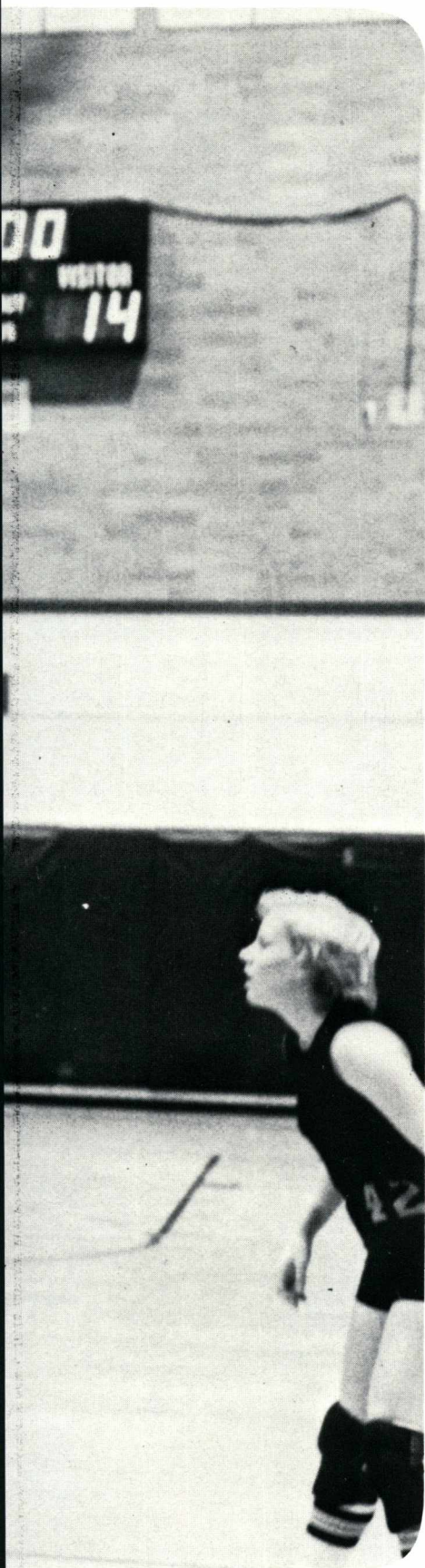


Ron Slovick



Dave Shelton





Women's Sports



Hockey Gals Enter Big Leagues

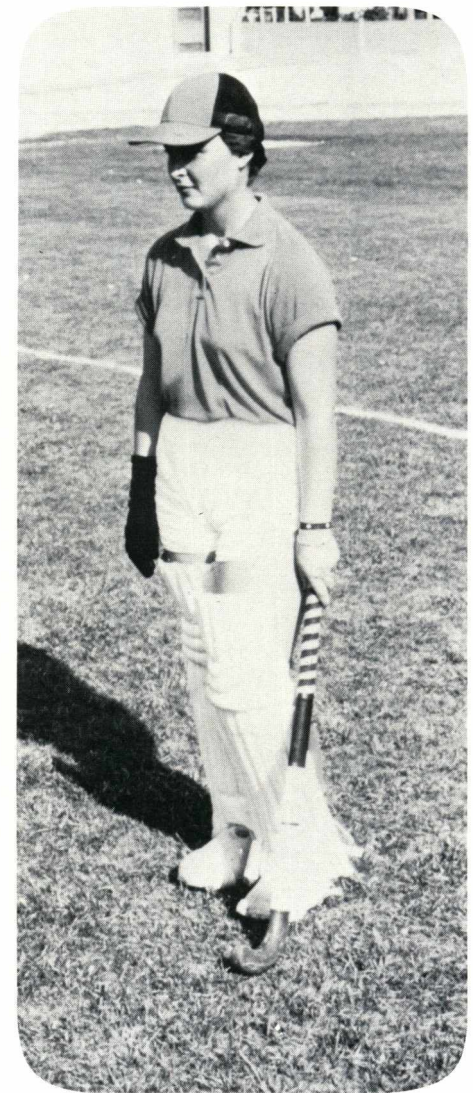
Although a record of 7 wins, 2 ties, and 8 losses does not reflect the closeness of its many games, the NNC field hockey team proved that it could compete with some of the largest universities in the northwest. Competition against the likes of the University of Oregon, Oregon State, Washington State, Brigham Young, and Boise State Universities was keen all season long. Crusader Brenda Ryska who provided much of the scoring punch for the team accumulated one more goal than did all the competition put together. Coach Jean Horwood is pleased with her gal's performances, and is looking forward to next year when all of her players will have more experience in intercollegiate competition.



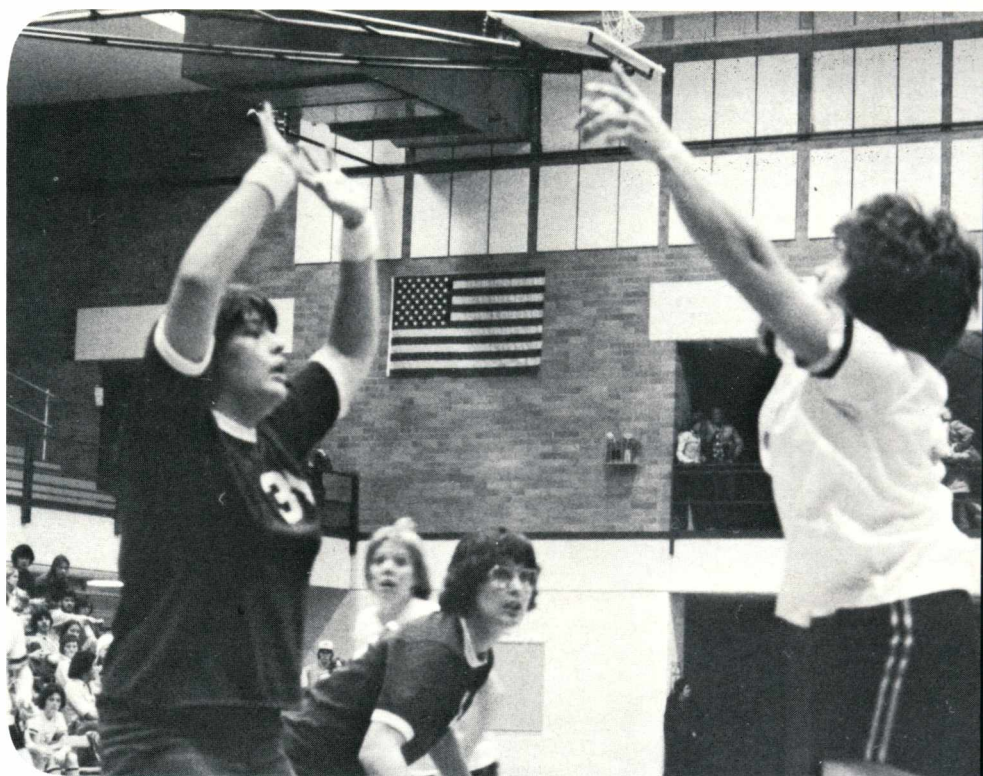
Coach Horwood, Linda Shaffer, Ginny Luhn, Joy Shaffer, Cindy Dickey, Pam Bekkedahl, Jan Hamilton, Sandy Hollinger, Kim Olson, Becky Skein, Doreen Lay, Joan Shoddey, Brenda Ryska, Jane Ono, Quinet Shoemaker, Doris Lay, Debbie Bartlow, Faith Holmes, Karen Laird, Cheryl McMillan, Loree McKiniey Manager. (Kathy Mayers) in front.



Coach Jean Horwood

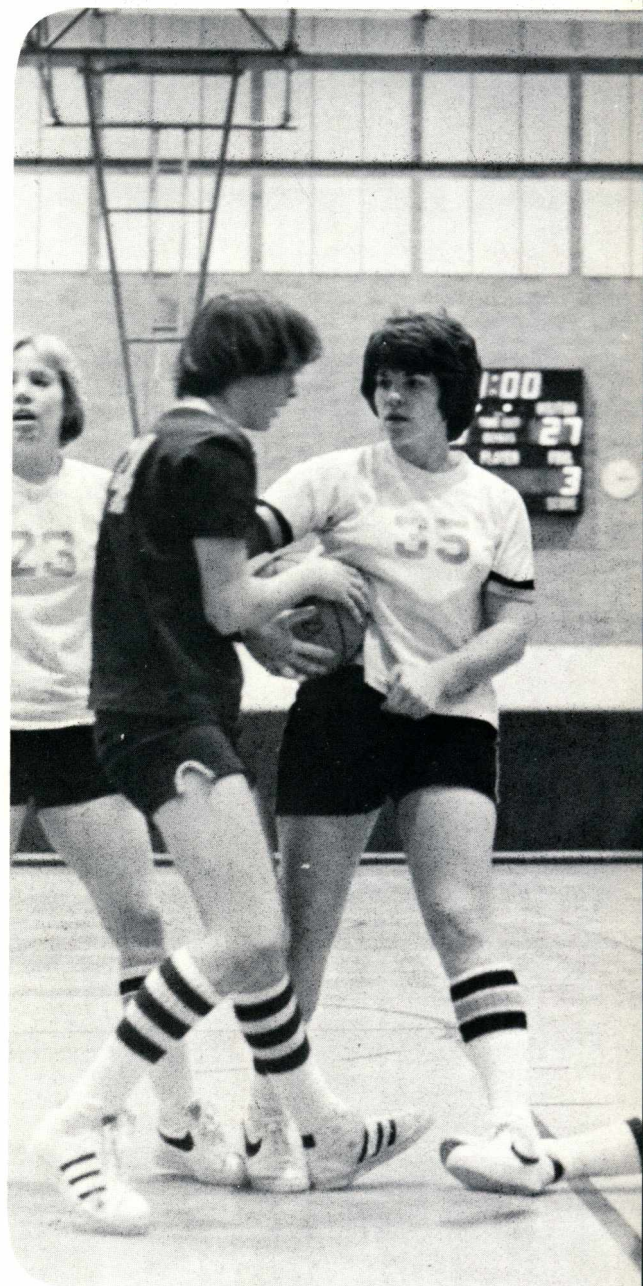


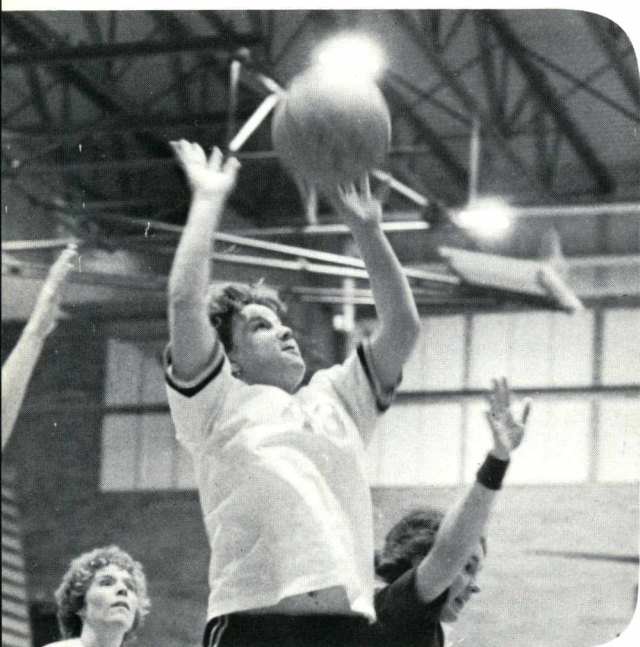
Girl
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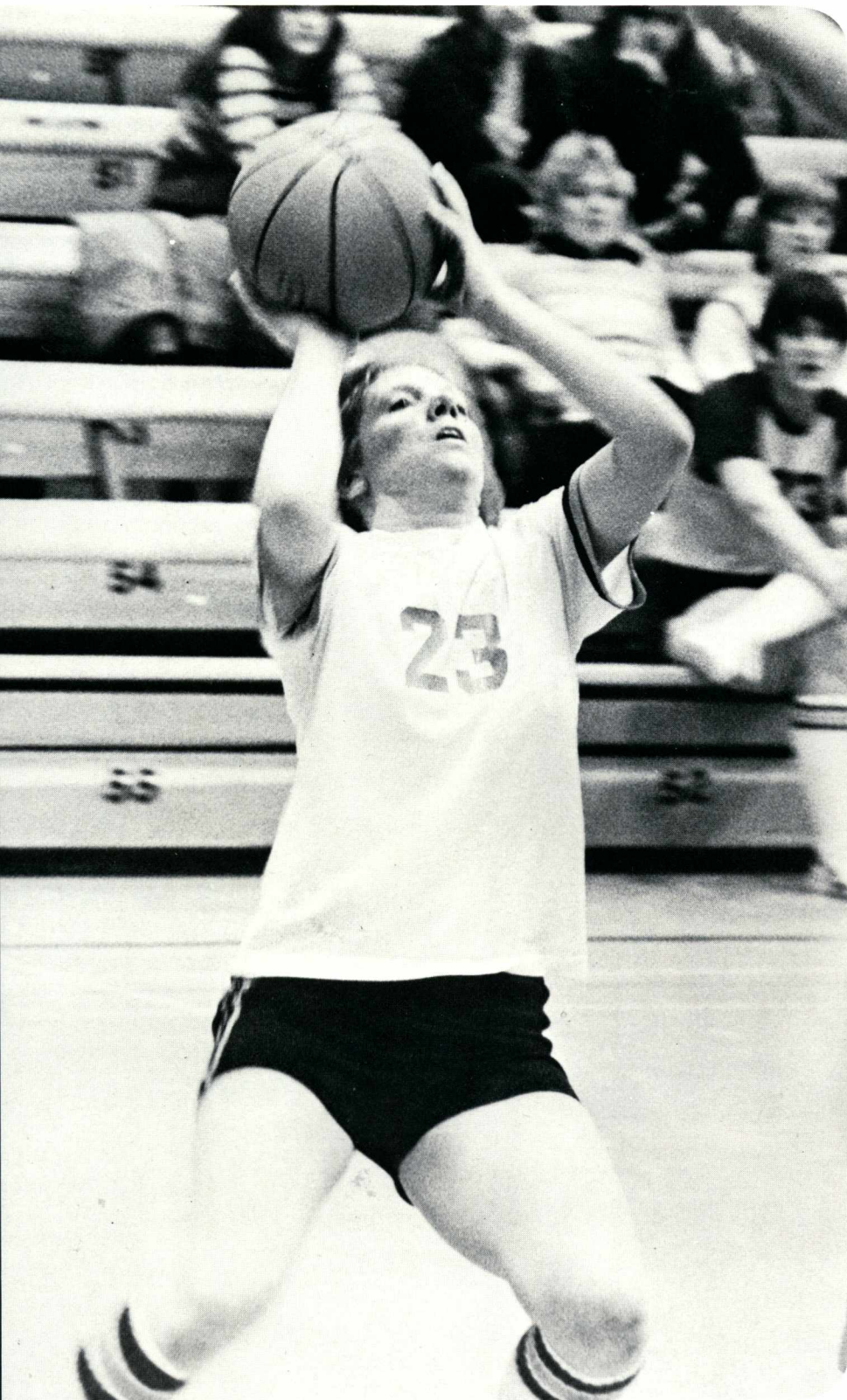


The turning point in the women's basketball season came, when in mid-season several key players were injured and it seemed that the team never regained its early season profile. Prior to these injuries the lady cagers had accumulated a fine 7-0 record. However, the team did finish the season with a third place in the Inland Valley Conference with an even 4 wins and 4 losses record. The final record for the entire basketball season was 12 wins, and 7 losses.



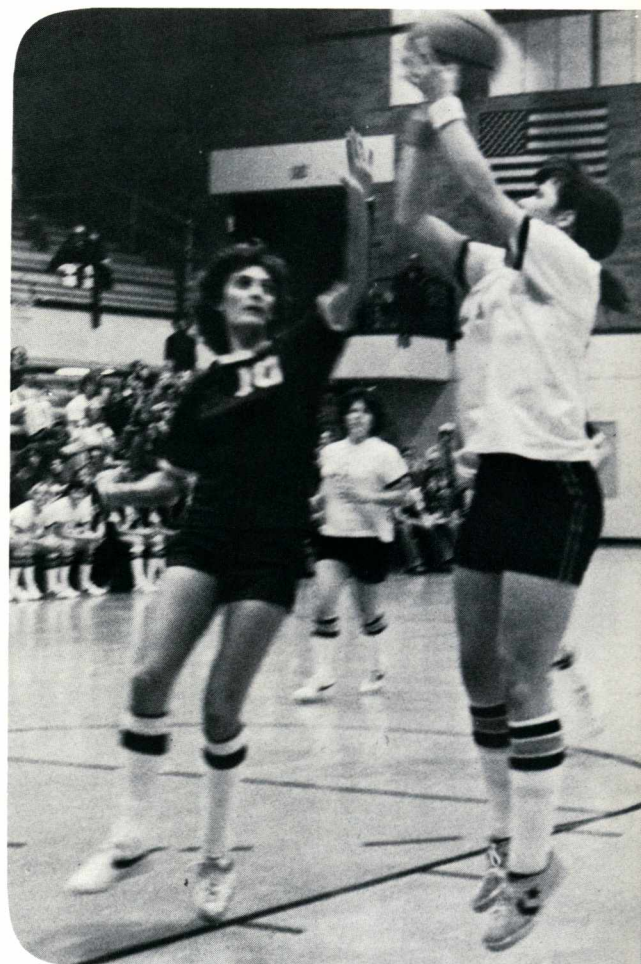


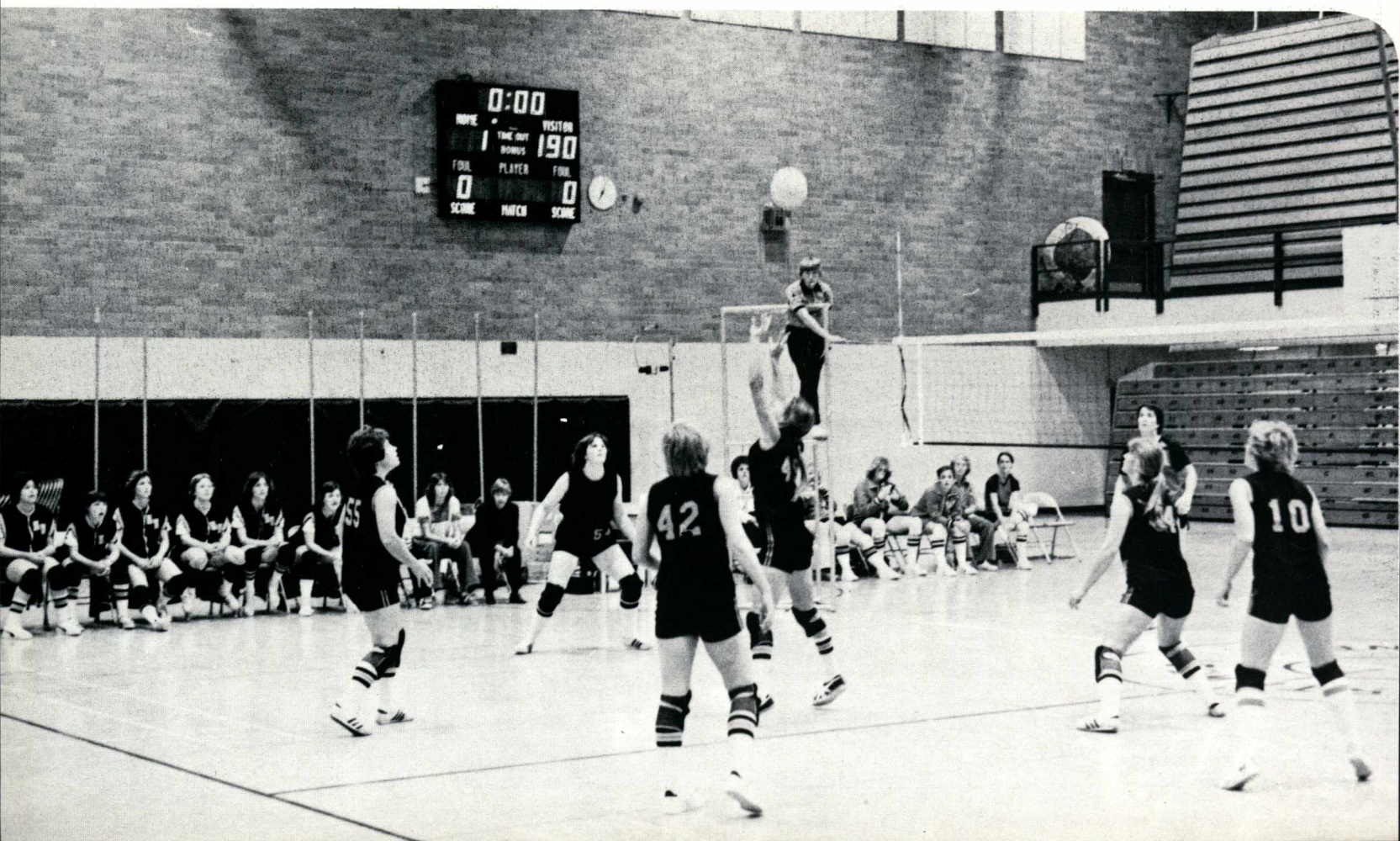
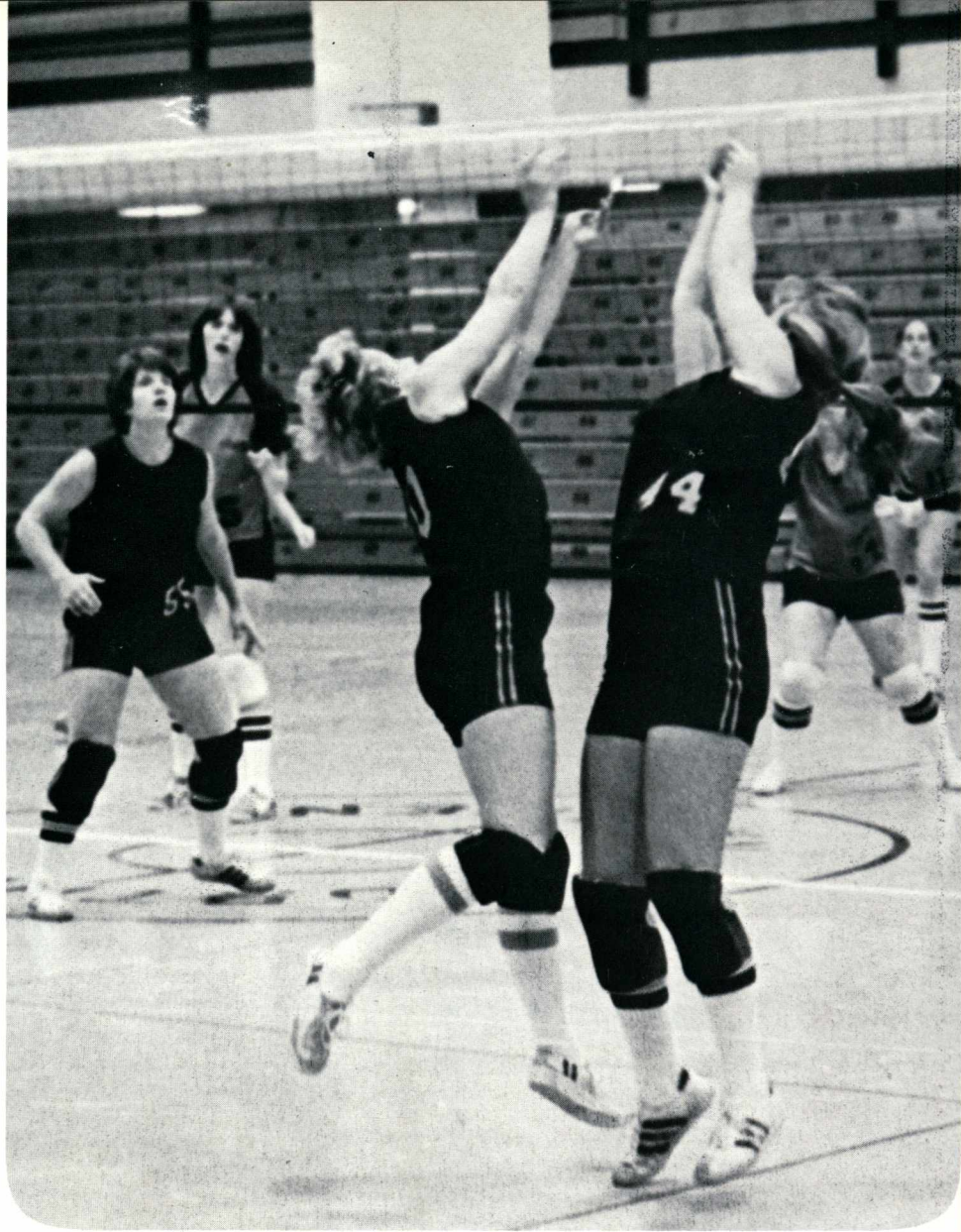
NNC Team Takes Third in Conference

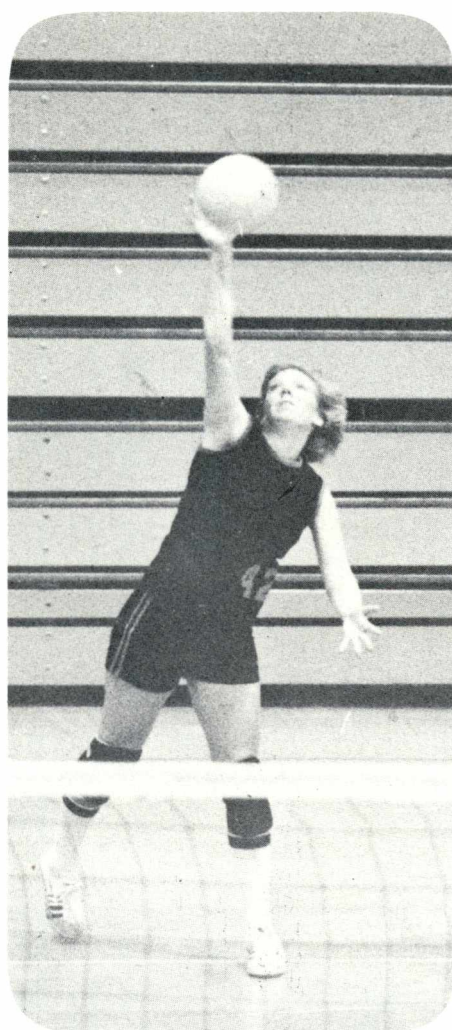
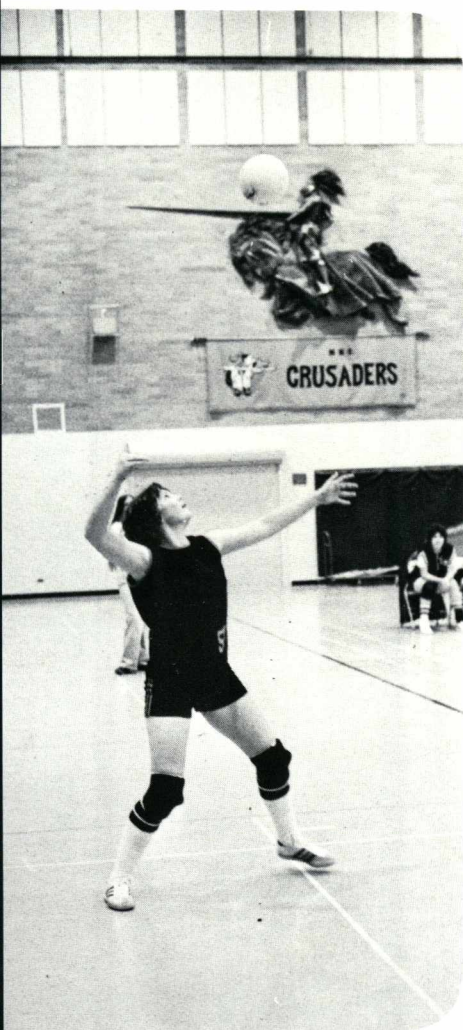


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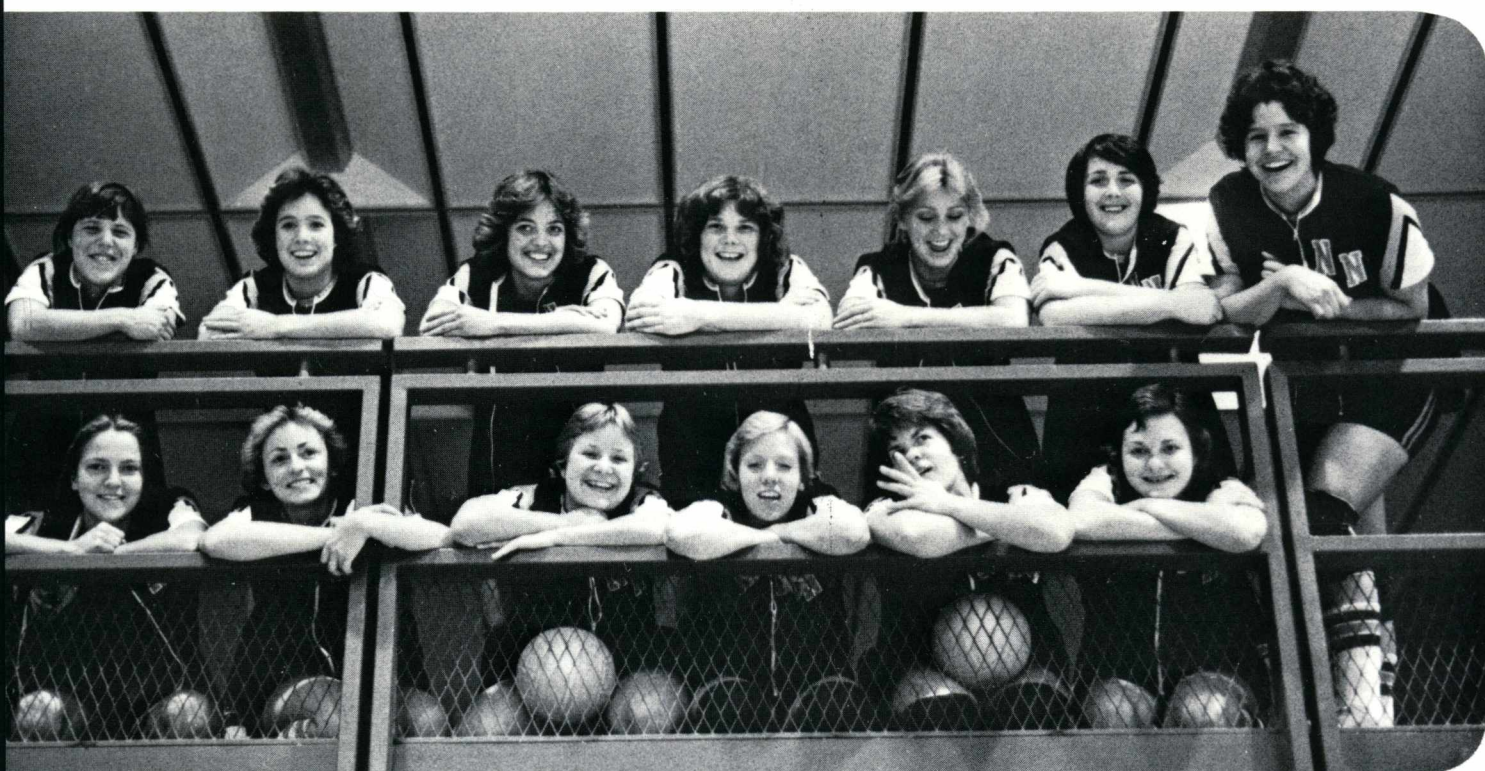
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Sharon Johnson
Karen Johnson
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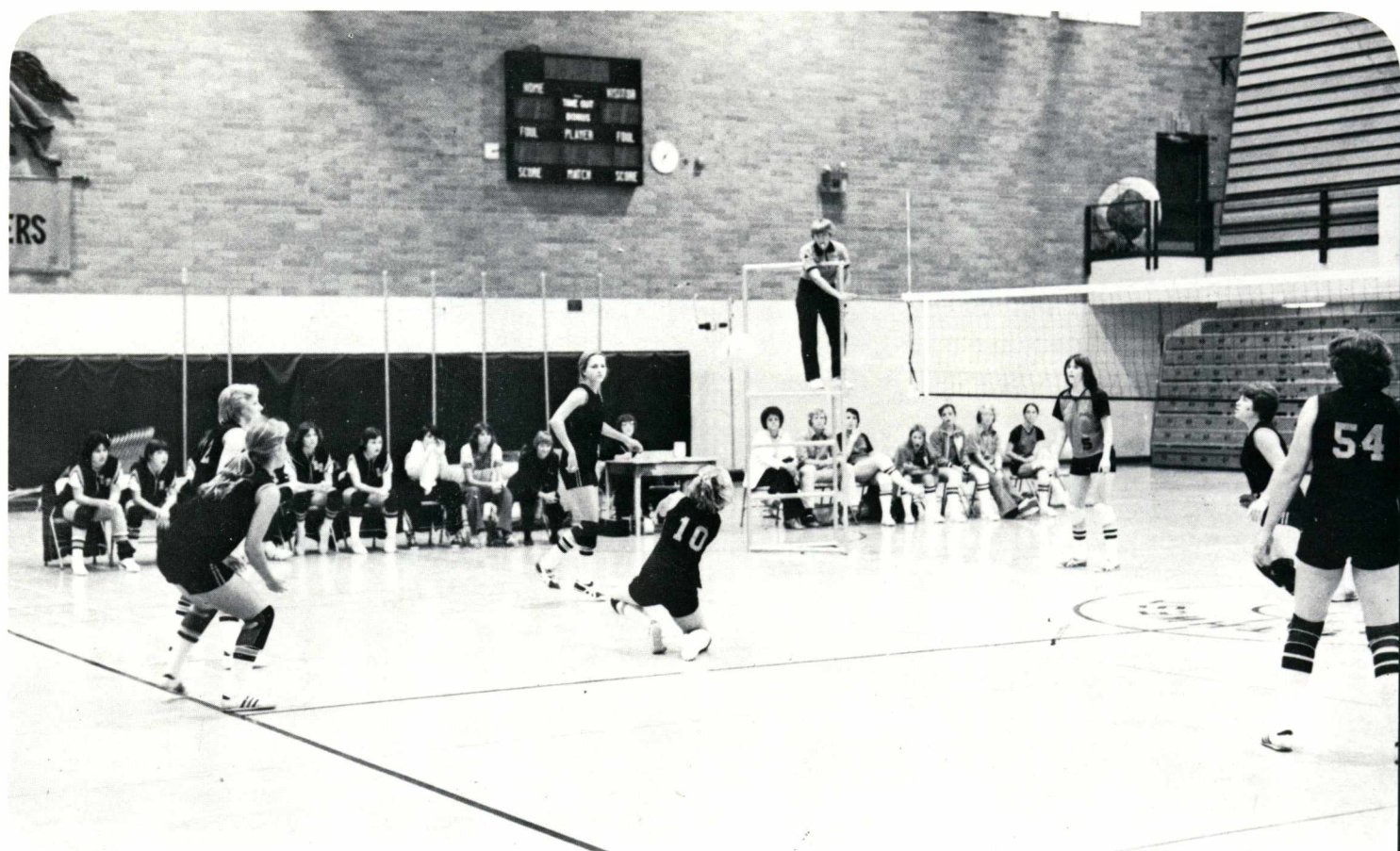


Women's Volleyball Team Takes First in Conference With a 7-1 Record



Front Row: Viv Gosnell, Myla Hodgins, Sue Sieloff, Judy Kornstad, Nancy Kellmer, Diane Howell. Back Row: Joann Scoggin, Charlene Buskirk, Kandi Miller, Debbie Rutan, Sandy Rumpel, Cherry Stedman, Sandy McGarry.

Overall
Record Is 18-11
Finish Season
With a Fourth
in the NCWSA
Tournament





With a fourth place finish in the NCWSA Volleyball Tournament the NNC women's volleyball team ended its season. The cumulative record for this year's team stands at 18 wins and 11 losses. The high point of the year was placing first in the Inland Valley Conference with a record of 7 wins and 1 loss.







Girls Put Together Record-Breaking Season



Women's Track Team Competes in Seven Invitationals



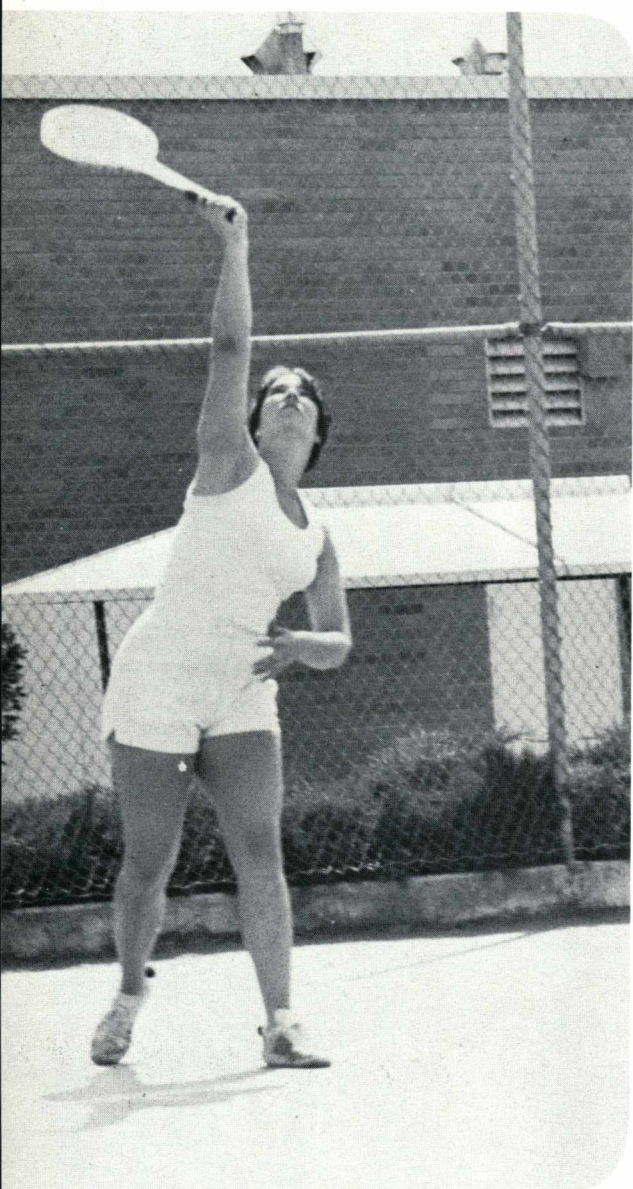


Six new NNC women's track and field records were set by Brenda Ryska in the 400 meter dash, with a time of 59.6, High Jump of 5'5" set by Andi Tucker, Long Jump of 16'9" set by Andi Tucker, 800 meter dash set by Ginger Alexander in a time of 2 min., 31 sec., and a Discus Throw by Spring Roberts of 104'10".



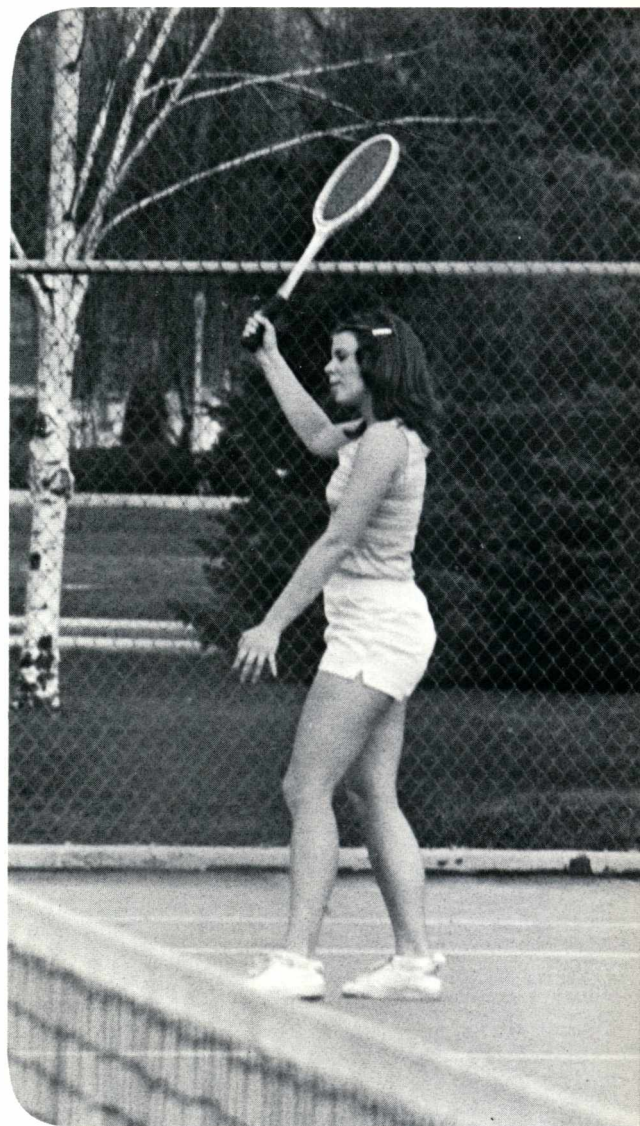
Front Row: Viv Gosnell, Coach Horwood, Manager Joy Shaffer. Back Row: Spring Roberts, Roxie Hartsoch, Andi Tucker, Ginger Alexander, Brenda Ryska.

They Made a Volley
Through a Season of Folley
and All They Could Say Was, "Golly,"
Yet They Remained Jolly





It will not be recorded how many matches the women's tennis team won, but the number is less than three, and that includes forfeits (they had two forfeits). Yet the team really did not do that bad considering they were playing without a full team for most of the year. Hopefully a complete team will be slated next year. Debbie Roberts was the most outstanding player and Sue Thompson was the most improved.



Front Row: Sue Thompson, Pam Williams, Debbie Roberts, Jenise Trowbridge, Cheryl McMillan, Ginny Luhn.

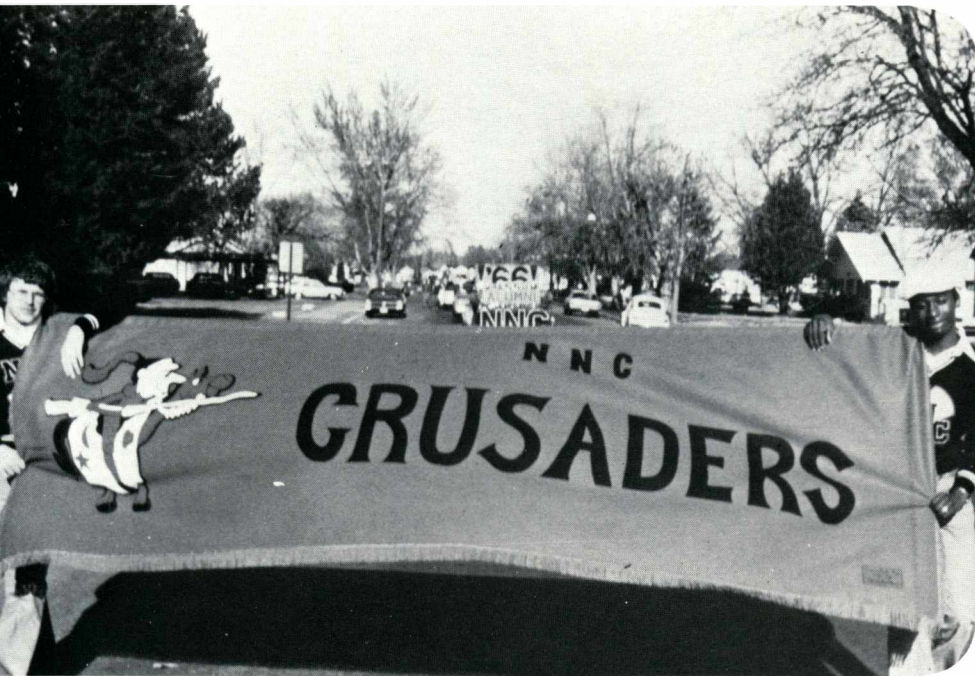


Carolee Blades

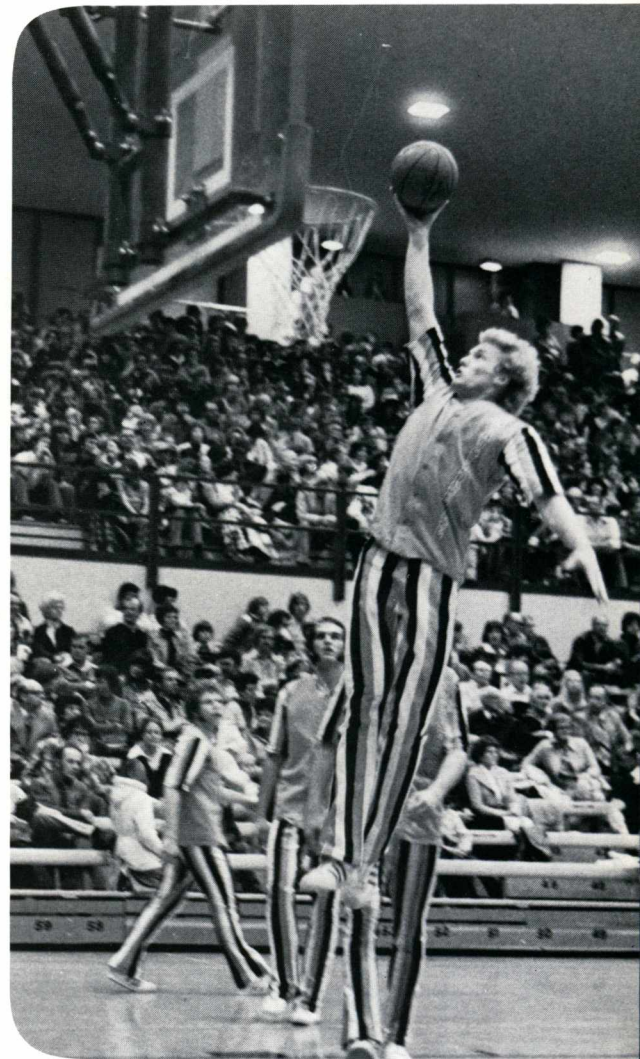
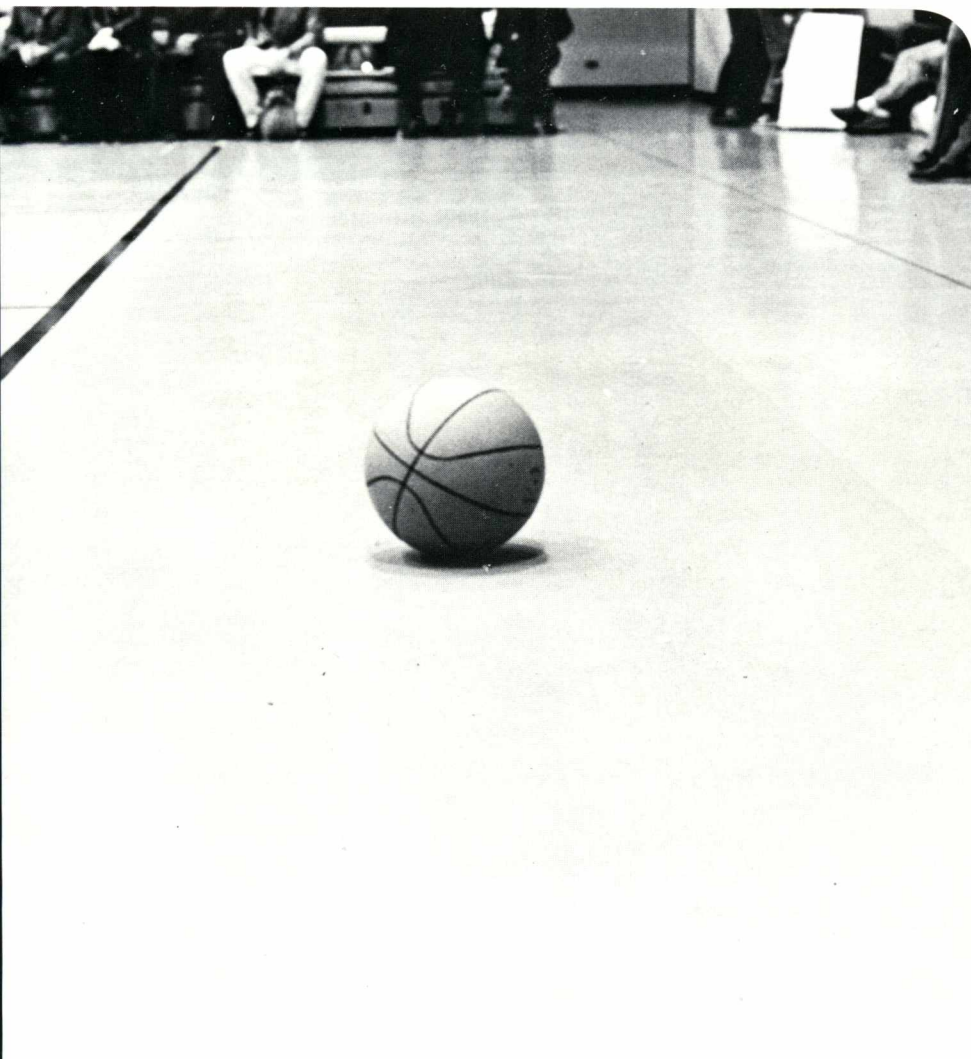
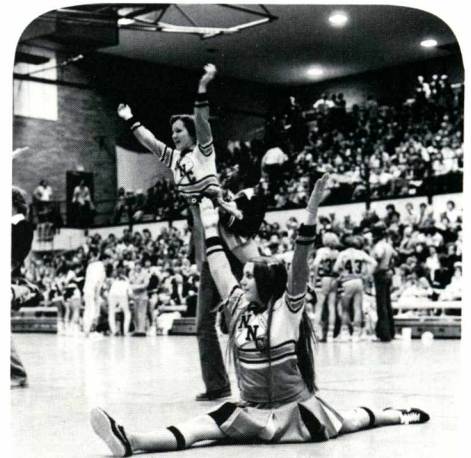


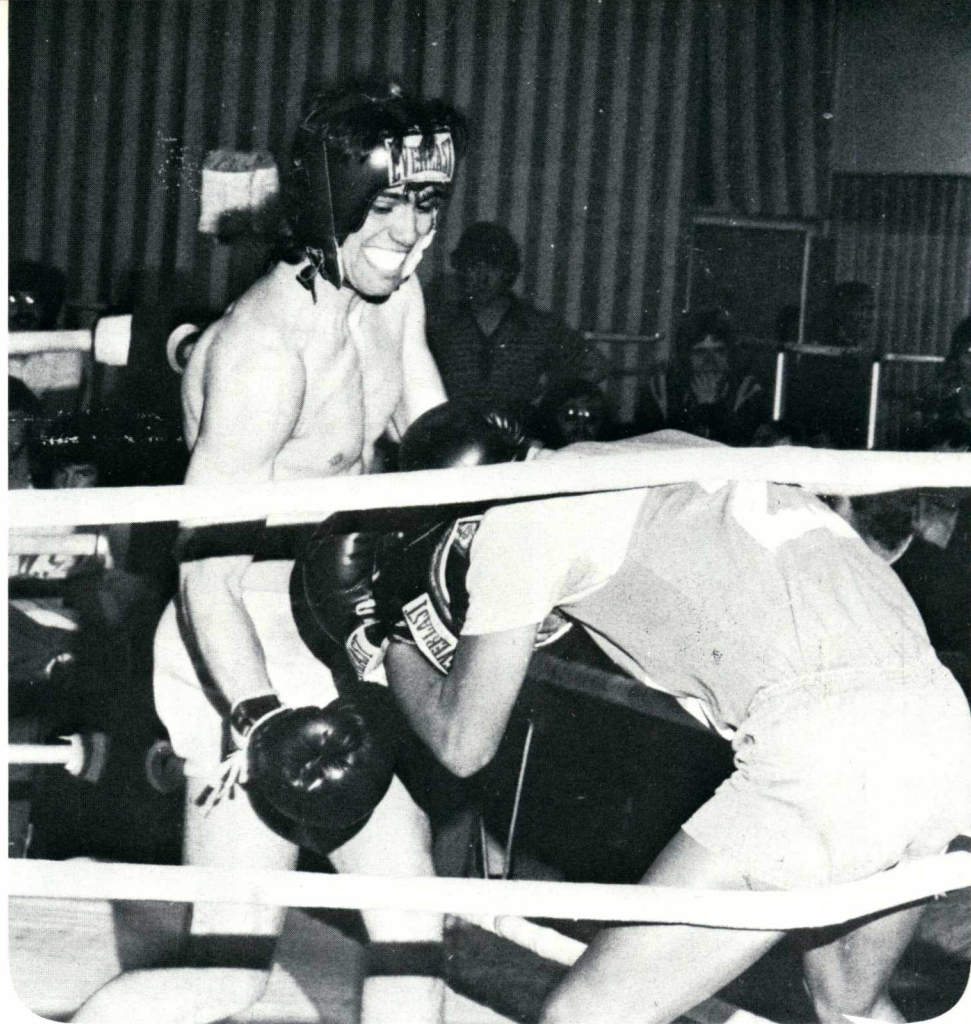
Kim Olsen, Kim Finkbinder, Barbra Wade

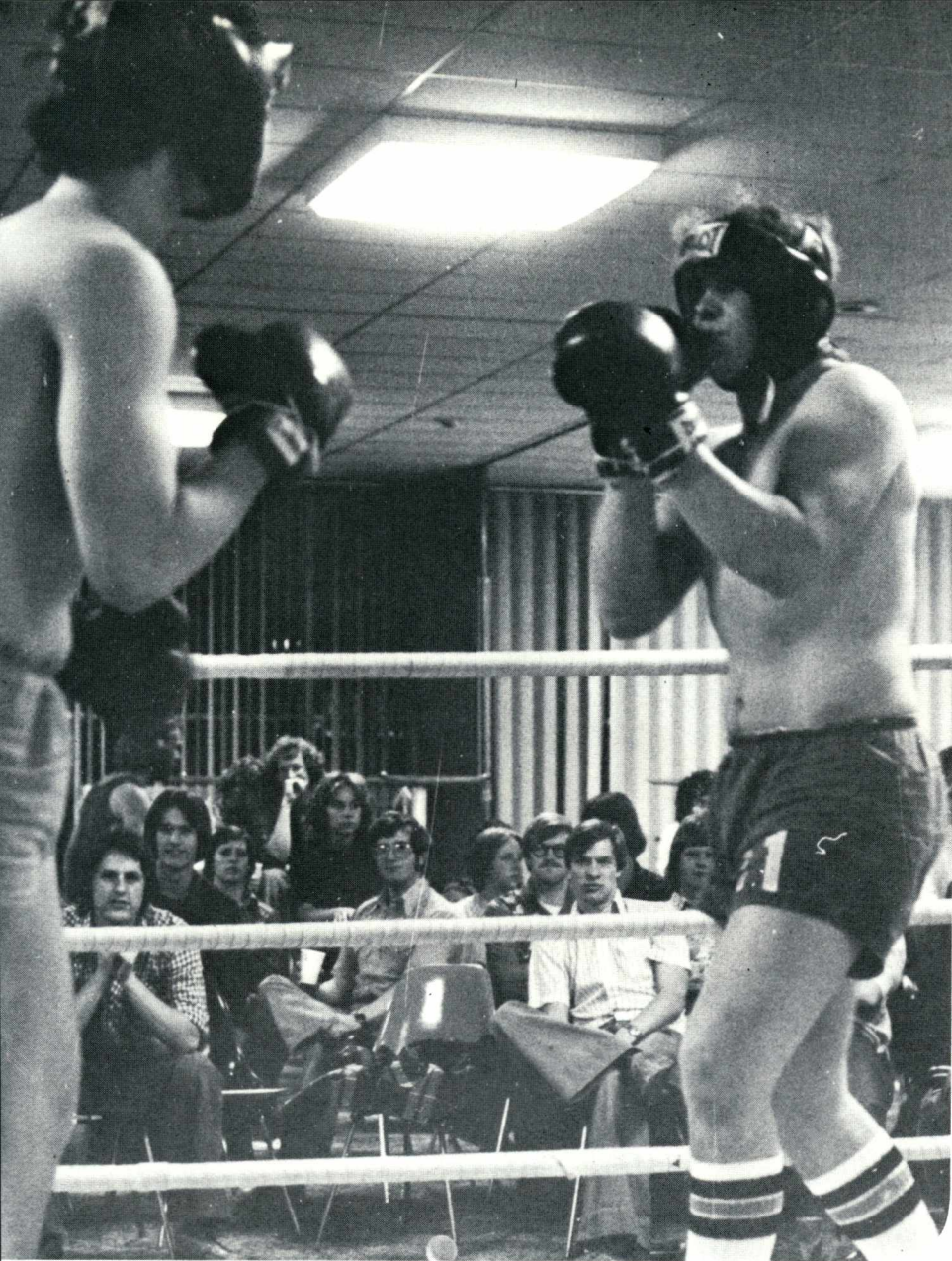
Rah-Rahs Raise Harrahs



Frank Best Eddie Hudson

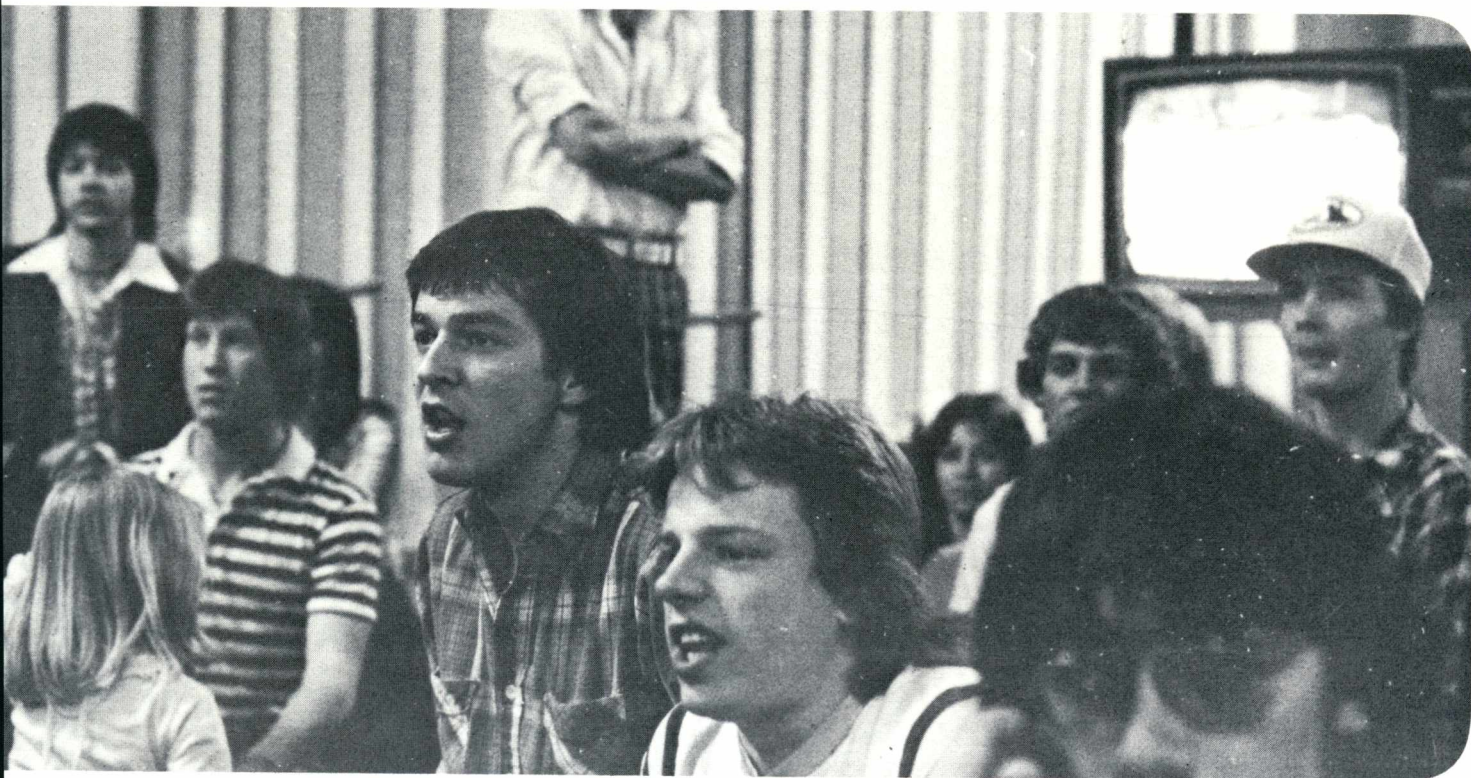






“The Event of the Year” Hits NNC Campus

The first annual Lead Glove Championship swung into action the middle of third term this year providing the student body a golden opportunity to release all of their hemmed-in tensions that last term school can lay on. But not that many took up the chance. Most just watched and became more tense. All in all it was a well organized night of boxing; no one really got hurt, and it will probably become an event that will be around a while.







The
End.

